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## LIGHTNING STRIKES HOUSE. Roof is Demolished, While Family Has Miraculous Escape.

Sunday afternoon, of last week, during a severe electrical storm, the residence of Vew Kelley, six miles from Hickman, in the upper bottom, was struck by lightning and the roof practically demolished. The ceiling and a telephone were torn off the wall in a hall, and several large jars, on the porch where Mrs. Kelley was churning, were broken. With the exception of a severe shock sustained by Mrs. Kelley, none of the family were injured. At the time of the accident there were six or eight people in the house, and their escape from injury was truly miraculous.

## The Demons of the Swamp

are mosquitoes. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the chills and the fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often gives the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood, give you a fine appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since. Best for all stomach, liver and kidney ills. See at Heilm & Ellison's."

## NOT KNOWN HERE.

A special appeared in the St. Louis papers Saturday as follows:

Joseph Meyer, 101 years old, who has lost six children and a chicken farm by floods, has started to a Chicago institution of charity with \$1,000 in his pocket. He declared he would cover the distance alone. After the Galveston tidal wave had killed his two sons and four daughters, Meyer gathered what remained of his \$100,000 fortune and started a chicken farm at Hickman, Ky. The flood there last month destroyed his chickens and everything else but a few odds and ends. These he sold and started for Chicago. He was born in Berlin in 1811. He says he served in the Mexican and Civil Wars.

The Courier has interviewed a number of our oldest citizens, and none of them have ever heard of the unfortunate man mentioned in the above item, nor is there a chicken farm in this vicinity.

## CARD OF THANKS.

The undersigned take this means of thanking their neighbors and friends for their kind offices during the illness and death of their beloved husband and father. May you long be spared a similar sorrow in our prayer

Mrs. A. S. Griffin  
Will Griffin.

Don't forget to "boil the water."

Arch Hertweck left Saturday for Memphis. He will be gone about 3 months.

A. M. Tyler has purchased a new 6-passenger, self-starting Hudson touring car, which will arrive this week. He sold his Hupp to parties in Memphis.

Don't be a loafer, don't class yourself a loafer, don't hang about loafing places. Better work for nothing and board yourself than sit around corners with your hands in your pockets.

All sections and all classes will benefit by good roads. Few movements are as truly national, in as many ways, as the flourishing cause of highway improvement. If you are interested in making better roads try to attend the Good Roads rally at Paducah next Tuesday.

The plan to send an un instructed delegation to Baltimore is the offspring of hypocrisy and cowardice. It is a scheme to sell Kentucky out to the highest bidder. There will be big money at Baltimore. Those who are onto the inside of what is going forward know this. Wall street, and by Wall street we mean the furtive money-breeding end of it, looks to get in its work as the result of an unexpected deadlock through the confusion created thereby and incident thereto, and the Haly-Beckham bunch perfectly understanding the meaning of the chance, would have an un instructed delegation on the ground and in its own hands ready for quick delivery, "p-d-a" and "c-o-d." That is all there is to it fellow Democrats. That is its length, breadth and thickness, men of Kentucky.—Eix.



## Clothes that keep shape

**Y**OU know the importance to you of having your clothes keep shape; and you know how very uncommon this quality is in clothes. One important point in giving clothes this shape-keeping quality is the proper shrinkage of the cloth before it's cut.

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have their own process of shrinking, by special machinery which they invented. It's a process that would ruin any but all-wool fabrics; you can imagine what would happen to the common cotton mixtures of which most clothing is made if the fabrics were subjected to such a process.

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## SMITH & AMBERG

Uncle Joe Noonon, who has served this county well and faithfully for 18 years as jailer, is really one of Hickman's old citizens. While a caller at this office Friday, he had occasion to refer to that fact that he came to Hickman (then known as Mills Point) in September, 1844. And what changes he saw the first steel wing plow made that ever came to Hickman. Joe Pierce was running a plow factory where W. A. Dodds new building is now located. The plow was taken out and tried in the presence of a crowd of farmers, who were anxious to see the "critter" work. Several of them were unanimous in their opinion that it was no good, stating "you can't make any corn with that thing; it turns the ground over too slick." In 1857, Mr. Noonon decided to go in to the dray business, and City Clerk Judge Walker issued him a license from his office in the old Kirk building, the same room as is now occupied by Dr. Overby. This was before Uncle Joe was a housekeeper, and he tells us that he boarded at Jno. Everett's hotel, located at that time where Prof. B. F. Gabby's residence now stands. Later he married and

started housekeeping in the second story of a building, on the corner now occupied by the Hickman Hardware Company's warehouse, east of the Courier office. In this building his first child was born. Later Mr. Noonon entered the race for county jailer, defeating Geo. Carpenter and W. F. Hickmore. He has been defeating his opponents for this office for 18 years now, and expects to do the same thing next year. We expect he has kissed more babies, and bought more striped candy and cheap cigars than any two men in the county—with Circuit Clerk Morris, probably, a close second. Uncle Joe stands up well under the weight of 75 summers, and with the exception of his snow-white hair, he has the appearance of a man many years his junior.

When the baby takes too much food the stomach turns; the result is indigestion, sourness and vomiting. Frequently the bowels are involved and there is colic pains and diarrhoea. McGEHEE'S BABY ELIXIR is a grand corrective remedy for the stomach and bowel disorders of babies. It is pure, wholesome and pleasant to take. Price 25c and 50c per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

Did you ever stop to think what a great labor saver the home paper is as a means of communication with absent friends? "Write to me often," is the last command the one breaking away from home ties so often gives to those left behind. In the rush and hurry of every day very few people nowadays have time to devote to correspondence of the leisurely kind the people of other days kept up with such unvarying punctuality. And here is where the Courier saves a world of trouble. It is better than a letter, too, for it contains much that a letter would not. Items of interest are in it that the writer of a letter might not know or overlook. It is wonderful how eagerly one devours a home paper when a stranger in a strange land. Even the people you do not know intimately while at home, become of absorbing interest to you when you read that they have died or married or figured otherwise prominently in the home affairs. If there is some one of your family away from home, try sending them this paper regularly and a letter occasionally, and see if they do not appreciate the favor of the paper.

Uncle Sam's 10-year lease on the Tyler building, in which the postoffice is located expires the first of next month. As is their custom, the government will ask for bids for a similar lease in a short time. A 10-years lease by Uncle Sam is a better proposition than renting to Tom, Dick and Harry, and we understand several bids are forthcoming. The postoffice may change locations with a renewal of contract.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hertweck and son, Arch, will leave soon for Fresno, Cal., to make their home. Mr. Hertweck and wife are two of Hickman's oldest and most highly respected citizens and their many friends regret that they are to leave us.

Judge Allen W. Barkley, of Paducah, candidate for Congress from this district, has been here several days since our last issue making the acquaintance of the voters of Hickman and vicinity.

Home grown vegetables are on the market.

## POSTOFFICE BILL PASSED. Rural Route Parcels Post Among Main Features.

After several weeks of debate the house Friday finally passed the postoffice appropriation bill carrying approximately \$260,000,000 for the expenses of the postal service for the next fiscal year. The bill passed by a vote of 227 to 5 without a roll call, although roll calls were had on several of the legislative features of the bill. General debate then was begun on the legislative, executive and judicial measure.

Among the important legislative sections of the postoffice bill is that which creates an experimental parcels post on strictly rural routes and a temporary parcels post on general routes. This legislation, however, is subject to change at the next session, when a joint committee authorized by the bill, make recommendations for the establishment of an unlimited parcels post. As adopted the parcels post rates on rural routes will be 6 cents a pound for the first pound and one cent for each additional pound on packages not exceeding eleven pounds in weight. The general rate is 12 cents a pound with a package limit of eleven pounds.

Other legislative features of the bill embrace the Shackelford good roads amendment providing for federal aid to good roads by a system of tolls for the use of roads over which rural routes are carried; the Harnhardt amendment requiring newspapers and periodicals to publish the names of their owners and stockholders, and committee amendments revoking the "gag" rule in the postoffice department, and also requiring that steel cars only shall be used for the railroad mail service after July 1, 1917.

The good roads amendment is the sugar coating on the mail order pill, and the "system of tolls" may be a bigger thing than it appears.

In the whole field of medicine there is not a healing remedy that will repair damage to the flesh more quickly than BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. In cuts, burns, scalds, rheumatism, wounds and sprains, its healing and penetrating power is extraordinary. Price 25c, 50c and \$1 per bottle. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

## TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Teachers' examinations will be held at the Court House at Hickman on the following dates:

May 17 and 18.

May 24 and 25.

Virginia Luten, Co. Supt.

Oce Harris, Tom French and A. M. Tyler motored to Fulton, Friday.

Mrs. R. H. Kirk sends the Courier to her daughter, Mrs. D. O. Jeter, at Dallas, Texas, for one year.

The Colorado State Democratic convention instructed its delegates to vote for Champ Clark for President.

Dr. C. W. Curlin and wife and A. M. Tyler went to Memphis last week in Dr. Curlin's new motor boat, returning Friday.

The condition of wheat in the winter wheat belt of Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Kansas, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio is reported unusually promising.

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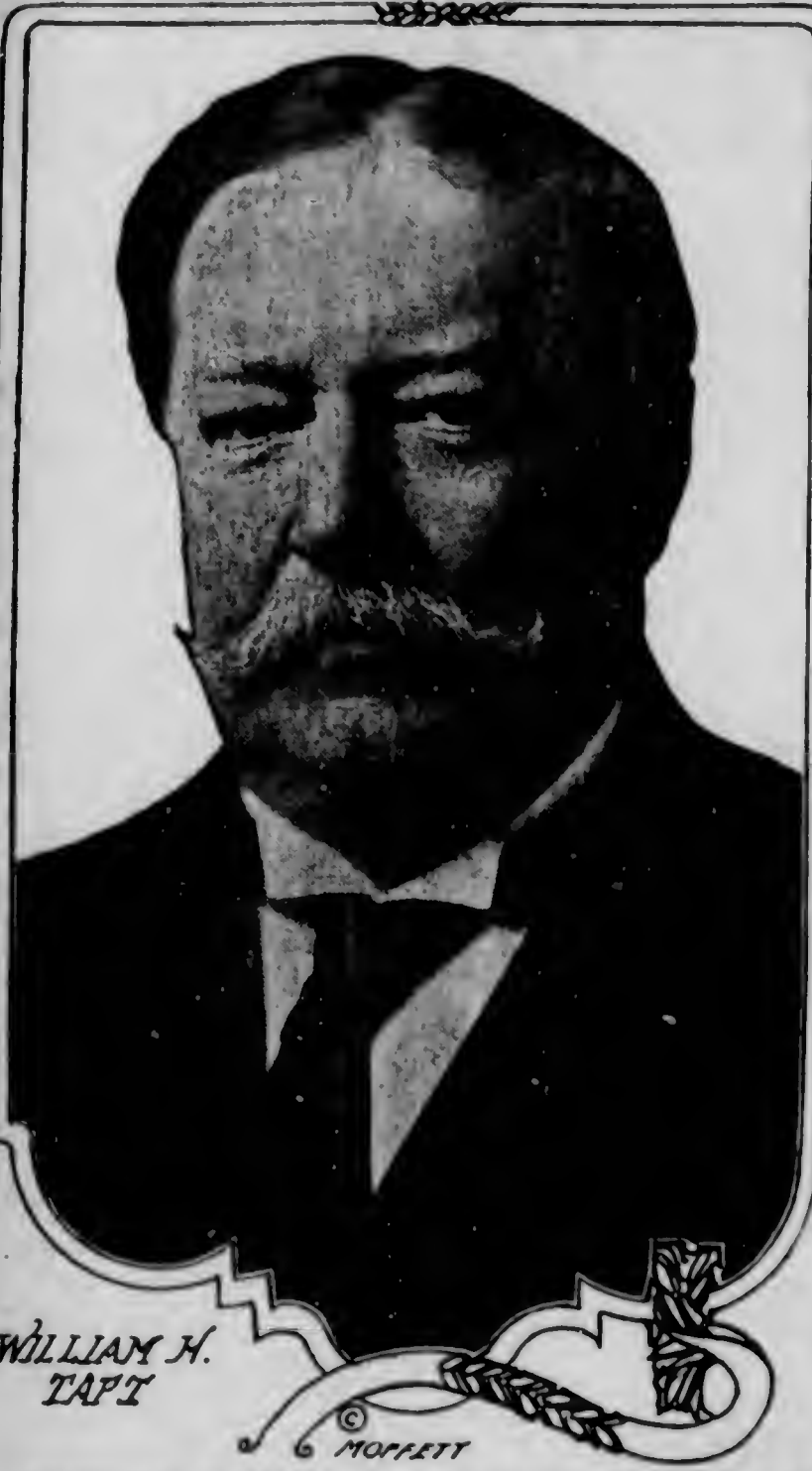
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Don't care if your chickens are pure bred, white Wyandottes or R. I. Red, I must have a lettuce and onion bed, or somebody's chickens goin' be dead. Makes no difference, if ye have chickens in town, they gotta quit klickin' our garden 'round.

Speaker Champ Clark's lead in the race for the Democratic Presidential nomination has reached such lengths that in Washington politicians agree that he will be nominated, perhaps on the first ballot. With 180 votes favorable or pledged, the Speaker has a clear lead over his nearest opponent of 125 votes.

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## Courier's Home Circle

It isn't enough to believe that "every cloud has a silver lining," and then sit down and wait for the lining to reveal itself. We can, if we will, take the X-ray of determination, and pierce the cloud and find its bright side.

The poorest girls in the world are those not taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them and they have been taught to despise labor and to depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. The most forlorn women belong to this class. It

and wife see eye to eye and heart to heart one in the interests of home, they have reached as near perfection as we are allowed to hope for while on earth.

While we carefully guard whatever is womanly in our daughters, let them be trained to more of fibre and firmness. Educate them to self-denial if pecuniary circumstances demand it, and not to self-indulgence. Accustom them to be of service in the household, to regard economy as praiseworthy and even heroic, and to add to their other accomplishments a practical knowledge of work and the possession of some lucrative position or industry by which they can support themselves. Such girls, when portionless will carry to their husbands duties in themselves.

The work of each home should be so arranged that it can be done almost entirely in six days and as evenly as possible in each day. "Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work."

In seeking the good of others, we find our own.

Do you know how many books are in the Bible? Let us tell you one good way to remember, so as never to forget. First write down the words "Old Testament." Now how many letters are in the word "Old"? Three. How many in the word "Testament"? Nine. Put 3 and 9 together and you will have 12, the number of books in the Old Testament. Next write down the words "New Testament." There are also in "New" and "Tes-



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## IN A GENERAL WAY!

The gunboat *Pistrel* is on her way up the river from New Orleans.

The Democrats of Kentucky have sense enough to decide for themselves who their nominees shall be.

Mrs. W. T. Myles, of Martin, died Friday morning, while a visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. D. Meroe.

R. B. Harvard, Miss Marie Harvard and Gen. H. A. Tyler left Sunday afternoon to attend the U. C. V. Reunion at Macon, Ga.

There is a stray mule at R. H. Kirk's home place that owner may get by proving ownership and paying for this notice.

If Mr. Roosevelt should be given a third term, why not a fourth term, and so on ad infinitum? Yes, why not crown him King and be done with it?

Editor Jno. L. Smith, of the Fulton Weekly News, spent Monday in Hickman in the interest of his paper. He was a welcome caller at the Courier office.

It is estimated that the insurance companies, life, accident and marine, will have to pay about \$14,500,000 in losses as a result of the sinking of the *Titanic*.

Methodist ministers appear equally divided on the college of bishops' recommendation that the law against dancing and play going be abolished. The bishops say it is obsolete because two-thirds of the members violate it.

One of the interesting figures among the people in the recent show was J. W. Long, a white bearded federal soldier now about 70 years of age, who resides in the upper bottom when the water will permit. He has been knocked out of several crops of late and came near losing his famous old mule, which was saved only by being floated on a raft. Mr. Long has made 37 crops with the mule and is preparing to make the 38th. The mule is 40 years old this spring and is still spry and active, but not any more so than his venerable master.

Maj. W. A. Calhoun, consulting engineer of the Kentucky Southwestern Electric Railway, Light & Power Co., is expecting the arrival shortly of two assistants from his former office at Buffalo, N. Y. The purpose of their coming is to assist him in analyzing the proposed extension of an electric line from Central City, Ky. to the Kentucky Midland route and also the construction of a line from Central City to South Carrollton and Greenville, Ky. Maj. Calhoun returned Friday morning after having made an examination of both proposed roads. —Paducah News-Democrat.

ON SAY! YESTERDAY MY TEACHER SAYS TO ME "PETE YOU ARE A BRIGHT BOY AND CAN DO ALL THE HARD PROBLEMS" JUST THEN SOME GINK IN BACK OF ME THREW A BANANA PEEL ON THE FLOOR AND I SLIPPED ON AN EASY ONE —

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is the duty of parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition.

Some men respond more slowly to the touch of a woman's hand displayed in their homes and upon their surroundings. The task may seem hopeless to the wife at times. But sooner or later the effect will show itself. There is something in every man which responds to a higher and gentler influence. Let his home be rough and he will be rough. But infuse into that home a softening touch and he will be soft. But infuse into that home a softening touch and he will be soft. But infuse into that home a softening touch and he will be soft.

### Woman's Rights.

Woman now has, or should have, the right to govern her own home. The right to vote is insignificant when compared to this. She must be the mistress, but never its slave. That she has made it immaculate in cleanliness and resplendent in beauty is not enough. She must feed the love and truth which should untidely govern it. What power or dignity can reach higher? What is the ability to sway large audiences over a home with such skill that husband and children shall rise up and call her blessed? To be the ruling spirit in such a position is a more sacred honor than to rule an empire. "Woman's rights!" Has man any higher or more noble? And when husband

When we learn to be polite, not only as society people, but as husbands and wives, sisters and brothers, parents and children, we shall do well. No home can be happy where sarcasmic speech and rude disregard for one another's rights is the rule.

If you make children happy now you make them happy twenty years from now by the remembrance of it.

We fear many good housewives make a serious mistake in giving too much time to Sunday cooking. Others perhaps are equally in error by over-working on Saturday, so that they cannot properly rest or enjoy the Sabbath day. Parents and children ought to be more to each other on that day than on any other. A day of uplift and delight it ought to be made in every home.

Happiness is a perfume that one cannot shed over another without a few drops falling on one's self.

God intended that there should be one day each week as an especial day for the culture of home life. A day when the father would be home from work, and the children home from school, and the mother have less of household care, when all could put on their best clothes, sing their sweetest songs, and enjoy a day of love. The Sabbath should never be made a day of labor in the home.

ment" three and nine letters. Now multiply 3 by 9 and you have 27, the number of books in the New Testament. Of course by adding 39 and 27 you have 66, the number of books in the Bible. Any boy or girl who will read this over twice will never forget how many books are in the Bible.

### Escapes an Awful Fate.

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. "Sometimes I had such coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now." Quick and safe, its the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free at Helm & Ellison's.

The City Dads have been disinfecting on a large scale this week. The city sprinkling wagon has been spraying the streets with the germ-destroying fluid, and incidentally leaving the town charged with an odor like a moth ball. While it is not as pleasing to the sense of smelling as attraction of roses, the results will doubtless be worth while as the recent high water left things in a bad way.

Thos. Kimbro, age 38, of near Clinton, died Saturday and was buried at Wingo, Sunday.



# A Red Letter Day for Hickman

## AIR SHIP FLIGHTS—BAND CONCERTS

### Auction Sales

# May 14th, 15th, 16th

On the Grounds of the Industrial League Addition  
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Thornwell Andrews, the world's famous Bird Man, will daily furnish thrills for the thousands who will be on the grounds to witness his flights, rising at each flight to a height of 8,000 feet in his 1912 Curtis Bi-plane. He will do the spiral glide across the Mississippi River, and perform the dare devil act of deeding a lot from the fleecy clouds. This performance will take place without fail.



Richardson Bros. Concert Band and Male Quartette, of Atlanta, Ga., one of the greatest musical attractions in America, will render choice music for the occasion.

A pleasure steamer will operate cheap rate excursions every night on the Mississippi River from Hickman, and it will be three big days of mingled pleasure and, business, too good in all respects to miss.

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## "MY LADY OF DOUBT."—Continued.

we are a divided family, with fighting men on either side."

"Little these outlaws care for that." "At least they appear to, as we remain unmolested. There has not been a raiding party batted here since the war began."

"Well, if you hadn't been at home, there would have been one along now," burst forth Grant rather roughly. "Those fellows out there are desperate enough to sack the house if that was their only method of getting food. And I promised they should have the chance."

"Oh, you did, indeed! That would have proven a friendly act." "Necessity does not take much account of friendship. I was responsible for a hundred starving men. Under such conditions force would be justified. I doubt if I could control the fellows now if provision should be refused."

"There is no necessity for indulging in threats, Captain Grant," said the boy's voice coldly. "Elmhurst has never yet turned a soldier away in hunger. Peter will instruct what few servants remain to attend to the immediate needs of your men. May I ask how long you expect to remain?"

"I thought Grant was walking nervously back and forth across the room. "How long? 'Till night, probably. Then with a bite in our haversacks we'll take the road again. That is, providing you condescend to act as our host for so long a time. Odds I feel but this reception is not over warm to my thinking."

"Elmhurst is not a tavern, sir." "No; but the home of a loyalist—the commander of half those men out yonder. However I am not pleading for them, but myself personally. What welcome have I had? By all the gods, I was almost compelled to fight that bald-headed old fool to even gain admittance to the hall. Were those your orders?"

"Assuredly not. But you must consider circumstances, and forgive Peter



Opened the Door Wider, Wondering if I Dare Venture Upon Stepping by Unobserved.

for being over zealous in my service I received you as soon as I knew what you were."

"Yes," somewhat mollified, "I presume that is true, although you are chilly enough, the Lord knows. But what brings you here?"

"That must remain my secret, Captain Grant—for the present."

"Oh, very well. I thought it might have some connection with Eric's presence in this neighborhood."

"With Eric! What do you mean? Have you seen him?"

"Ah! as I've got below the surface at last! I thought I might with that thrust. Yes, I saw him last night. I didn't know what the devil the fellow was up to, but I thought I'd let him play out his game. It was a right nifty trick, so far as it went, but unfortunately the rebel came in before I discovered what it all led up to."

"You do not make it very clear to me."

"I told you it was not even clear to myself. This is all I know. When I joined Delavan last night just after dark, he had a young officer of Light Dragoons in charge of his advance guard. I merely got a glimpse of the fellow as we rode in, and he looked so devilishly like Eric that I asked Delavan who the lad was. He said he had joined at Mount Holly with three men, was going through to Philadelphia with despatches from New York and was only too glad to escort the rest of the way. Being short of officers Delavan gave him charge of the van."

"Did he recognize you?" "I hardly think so; it was pretty dark, and I was put on guard over the rear wagon. I supposed I would have ample opportunity to learn the truth after it became daylight."

"But you believed him to be Eric?" "Yes, and after the attack I was convinced. He and the three men with him bolted and got away. Must have run at the first fire, for the fellows had us completely hemmed in. It was Eric all right, and that is about half the reason why I led my men back here—I wanted to find out if he was hiding about the old place. Is it true you haven't seen him?"

"Quite true; indeed I had no reason to suppose him in the Jerseys at this time."

Grant remained silent, probably not wholly convinced that he was being told the truth, and yet not venturing to state openly his suspicions. However the other said no more, and said

ly the Ranger felt compelled to answer.

"Of course," he explained rather lamely, "I couldn't altogether blame you for concealing the boy if he had shown up here, but you will realize that as a King's officer I have a serious duty to perform."

"You would apprehend Eric? Would betray him into British hands? Is that your meaning, Captain Grant?"

"What else could I do? Don't be unreasonable! Boy as he is, no one in all that crew of ragamuffins has done us greater harm. Again and again he has learned our secrets and brought Washington information of our plans. How he does it is the mystery of this department—Howe has personally offered a thousand pounds for his arrest. Surely you know that. Last night I thought we had him in our power, but the very devil seems to protect him from capture, even when luck brings him fairly within our grip."

"And so you came here to search for him? I could feel the bitter scorn in the voice. "In his father's home!" "I certainly did," angrily. "I shall search the house from cellar to garret before I leave."

"But you are on parole."

"Damn the parole. What do I care for a pledge given to a band of plundering outlaws? And what do I care for Eric? He chose for himself, and has no right to expect any mercy from me, and by all the gods, he'll receive none. I half believe that attack last night was his planning, and that now you have him hidden away here. Now listen to me! I do not desire to be harsh, but I'm a soldier. My men are not armed, but there are enough out there to handle the servants here-handed. No one can get out of this house without being seen; I've attended to that."

"And you propose searching the rooms?"

"I do. If you had been a little more genial I might have exhibited greater courtesy. But I haven't any use for Eric, and never had. Now you know the truth."

"It merely illustrates more clearly your character."

"You are always free enough with your comments. I shall do my duty to the King."

"Very well, sir," and the incensed Lieutenant pushed back his chair. "Then we clearly understand each other at last. I am sincerely glad of it. From now on I shall never again be guilty of mistaking you for a friend or a gentleman. No, I have no wish to listen to another word; you have spoken frankly enough, and I understand the situation. Perhaps it is only anger, but it gives me the excuse I have been seeking after a long while in vain. Whatever claim you may have had upon my regard in the past is over with, forever over with, Captain Grant."

"But—but, surely—"

"I mean precisely that. You can cover your despicable actions with the gloss of military duty, but I know you now as a revengeful liar. Treat this house as you please. I refuse to have any more dealings or words with you. I'll provision you and your men, as I would any others suffering from hunger, but that ends all. If you search this house do it by force, and in any way you please, but expect no assistance from me. I bid you good-day, sir, and will send Peter to call you when breakfast is ready."

I closed the crack of the door as he came forth into the hall, having no desire to be caught listening. My own position was more unpleasant and hazardous than ever. Whatever reason the Lieutenant might have for holding me prisoner I was convinced he possessed no knowledge as to my real identity. The probability was that after an interview I would be released. But Grant would recognize me instantly, and he proposed searching the house, room by room, seeking this man Eric. I must make my escape first. Yet how could this be accomplished? I heard Peter pass along the hall, and solemnly announce the serving of breakfast. He and Grant exchanged a few sentences, and then the latter strode to the front door, where he

gave orders to the men. I watched the German officers come up the steps, while the majority of the others forming into irregular line, marched around the corner of the house. A small squad remained, however, on guard, facing the front entrance.

## CHAPTER XIV.

### Again the Lady.

I must think rapidly, and act as quickly. Yet, if what Grant had said was true, that he had already posted guards on each side the house, then escape by daylight was practically impossible. From all I could see there was no concealment close at hand, and while the fellows were without arms, yet their numbers were sufficient to make any attempt at running their lines extra hazardous. And I had much at risk, for if taken it would be as a spy, and not a mere prisoner of war. There was no place for concealment in the library, but there might be upstairs, in the attic, or on the roof. The chance was worth the trial, and there could be no better time for such an experiment than while the three officers were at breakfast. Whatever servants remained about the house would be busily employed also, and probably I should have the entire upper portion to myself. Deciding to make the venture I had my hand on the knob of the door, when it was opened quietly from without, and I was startled by the sudden appearance of Peter. Whatever excitement may have prevailed among the other members of this peculiar household this model servant remained with dignity untroubled. He surveyed me calmly, rubbing his hand with one hand.

"You will pardon the delay, sir," he said calmly. "But circumstances have arisen changing the original plans. Will you kindly accompany me?"

"But where, Peter? I don't wish to be seen by these new arrivals."

"Have no fear, sir," condescendingly, and with an authoritative wave of the hand. "The officers are at table, and will know nothing of our movements."

I followed meekly enough, and belated the way up the broad stairs to the second story, turning to the left in the upper hall, and coming to a pause before a partially opened door. A glimpse within made me deem it a music room, although I could see merely along one wall.

"You will enter, sir, while I return to the guests below."

With one glance into this perfectly expressionless countenance, half suspicious of some new trick, I stepped across the threshold. The curtains were drawn, and the room seemed dark after the sun-gleam of the hall. I advanced a step or two, almost convinced the apartment was unoccupied when a voice addressed me.

"Under more favorable conditions Major Lawrence, it would give me pleasure to welcome you to the hospitalities of Elmhurst."

I swung about as on a pivot and saw her standing with one hand upon the high back of a chair, her blue eyes smiling merrily. I felt the hot rush of blood to my cheeks, the quick throbbing pulse, with which I recognized her. I was so surprised that, for the instant, the words I sought to utter choked in my throat.

"You have not suspected?" she asked. "You did not know this was my home?"

"Nothing was farther from my thoughts," I exclaimed hastily. "All I knew of your home was that it was situated somewhere in the Jerseys. But wait, perhaps I begin to understand—the Lieutenant who brought me here; his voice has been echoing in my ears."



"You Have Not Suspected?" She Asked. "You Did Not Know This Was My Home?"

all night in familiarity. He is some near relative of yours—this Eric?" "Oh, you have overheard? You know the name through hearing Cap-



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**SYNOPSIS.**

**CHAPTER I**—Major Lawrence, son of Judge Lawrence of Virginia, whose wife was a Lee, is sent on a perilous mission by Gen. Washington, just after the winter at Valley Forge.

**CHAPTER II**—Disguised in a British uniform arrives within the enemy's lines.

**CHAPTER III**—The Major attends a great fête and saves the "Lady of the Blended Rose" from mob. He later meets the girl at a brilliant ball.

**CHAPTER IV**—Trouble is started over a walk, and Lawrence is urged by his partner, Mistress Mortimer, (the Lady of the Blended Rose), to make his escape.

**CHAPTER V**—Lawrence is detected as a spy by Captain Grant of the British army, who agrees to a duel.

**CHAPTER VI**—The duel is stopped by Grant's friends and the spy makes a dash for liberty, swimming a river following a narrow escape.

**CHAPTER VII**—The Major arrives at the shop of a blacksmith, who is friendly and knows the Lady of the Blended Rose.

**CHAPTER VIII**—Captain Grant and rangers arrive and search the blacksmith shop in vain for the spy.

**CHAPTER IX**—Lawrence joins the minute men who capture Grant and his train.

**CHAPTER X**—Major Lawrence is made prisoner by an Indian and two white men.

**CHAPTER XI**—Lawrence's captors lock him in a strong cell, where he meets Peter the jailer.

"Do not mention it, sir," he murmured smoothly; "we are only too proud to have you as our guest at Elmhurst. It has been very quiet here now for some weeks, sir, and your coming was welcome to us all."

I could only stare at the fellow with open mouth, so dumbfounded as to be speechless. Of all the idiots I had ever met he was the worst, or else his acting was magnificent. To save me I was not certain which might be the correct guess. He continued in stately solemnity:

"I trust there remains nothing more you desire to learn sir? If not, I am requested to conduct you to the library. Ah, thank you, sir—this way, please."

He stood aside, statue-like, his eyes looking directly past me, and pointed with dignity to the open door. I obeyed the calm movement of that hand as though it had been a military order, but, as I stepped into the twilight of the outer basement, I suddenly perceived the presence there of the attendant graybeard. He moved in advance, and I followed, aware that Peter was closely at my heels. A glance told me here was a library, not only in name, but in fact, a large square room, well lighted, the furniture mahogany, shining like glass, three of the walls lined with books, mostly in sombre bindings. A green-



"I Hardly Think, Sir, That Would Be Advisable. The Man Outside Is Armed and Might Hurt You."

topped table occupied the center of the apartment, a massive affair, flanked by a leather upholstered reading chair, while before the front windows were cushioned ledges. My rapid glimpse about ended in Peter standing in dignified silence barely within the door, his hand upon the knob.

"I am authorized, sir," he said impressively, gazing directly across my shoulder, not a feature expressing emotion, "to permit you to remain here on parole."

"Parole? What do you mean?"

"Parole was, I believe, the word used, sir," in calm explanation. "It is, as I understand, sir, a military term signifying pledge."

"Oh, I know that. Kindly concede that I possess some small intelligence, Peter. But to whom is this parole given, and what does it imply?"

"To myself, sir. This may seem slightly unconventional, sir, but I trust you will repose sufficient confidence in me not to object. The sole requirements are that you remain in this room until sent for."

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"I am quite unable to answer that, sir."

He was enough to provoke a saint, but I had already butted my head against that stone wall sufficiently to learn the uselessness of any further attempt. Peter was Peter, and I crushed back my first impatient exclamation to say humbly:

"All right, my man, I'll wait here."

I sunk back into the upholstered chair, and for a moment after he had closed the door I did not move. Then, scarcely knowing whether to laugh or swear over the situation, I crossed the room, and gazed out through the window. Far down the winding driveway, half concealed behind the trees, a body of British troops was tramping toward the house.

**CHAPTER XIII.**

**A New Combination.**

My first thought was that this must prove a trap, and I drew hastily back behind the curtain, believing myself justified in an effort to escape. Surely, under such conditions, my word of parole to Peter had no binding force. Yet I waited long enough to glance forth again. The advancing body was less than a hundred strong, Queen's Rangers and Hessians, from their uniforms, straggling along on foot, limping, dusty and without arms. These must be the remnant of Delavan's command, released by their guard of partisans, and now wearily seeking refuge. But why were they coming here? Surely this was not the Philadelphia road?

They turned in upon the open lawn in front of the door, and I could plainly distinguish the faces. There could no longer be any doubt but what these were the men we had fought and defeated the evening before. Grant, with the two Hessian officers, was in advance, and the former strode directly toward the house, while the majority of his following flung themselves at full length on the ground, as though utterly exhausted. Some strange fascination held me motionless, watching the man climb the front steps. The iron knocker rang loudly twice before there came any response from within. Then I could hear voices, but the words reaching me were detached, and without definite meaning. Finally the door closed, and the two men passed along the hall, beyond the room in which I waited. Then Peter's voice said solemnly, as if announcing a distinguished guest:

"Captain Alfred Grant!"

There was an exclamation of surprise, a quick exchange of sentences indistinguishable, although I was sure of Grant's peculiar accent, and the other voice was that of the young light Dragoon lieutenant. Uncertain what best to do I stole toward the door and gripped the knob. This was the only known way out, for I dare not venture to use the window which was in plain view of those soldiers resting on the lawn. Whether Peter had retired or not, I possessed no means of knowing, yet I opened the door silently a bare inch to make sure. At the same instant my ears caught the lieutenant's dismissing order, even as my eyes had glimpse of Swanson's broad back blocking the open doorway of a room nearly opposite.

"That will do, Peter, for the present. Have the table prepared for three guests at once."

He backed out, casting a quick glance of caution in my direction, and disappeared down the hall, rubbing his bald head industriously. I opened the door wider, wondering if I dare venture upon slipping by unobserved. Then Grant spoke, his voice loud enough to be easily heard:

"How did we come here? Why, where else could we go? The damned rebels stripped us clean; we had to have food. This was the nearest place where we were certain of getting any. Of course I didn't know our foragers had left Elmhurst alone, and that—for some cause which mystifies Clinton—these Jersey outlaws have been equally considerate. There was plenty to be had here, and I meant to have it in spite of the servants."

"You must have marched straight past your own place," the boyish voice interrupted.

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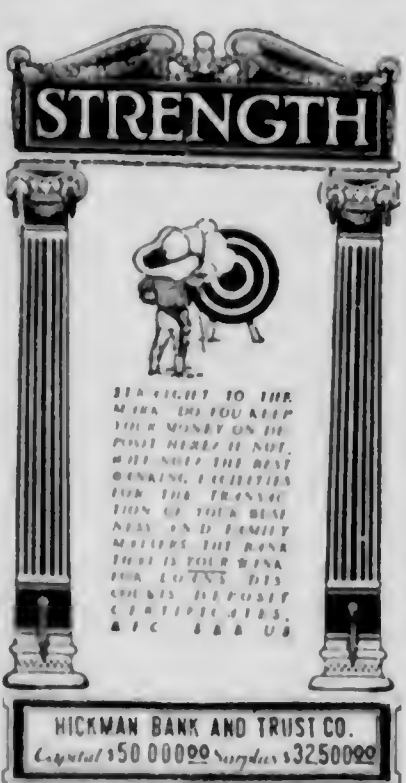
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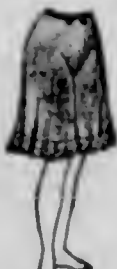
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The Hickman Ice & Coal Co. force has been busy this week installing the new electric fans, which take the place of the old direct current fans used heretofore. The fans are all on meters now, and can be run day and night—a great improvement over the service we have had heretofore. Up to this year, no fans could be used in the residences, as the former fan circuit reached only a limited number of business houses. Now the housewife may enjoy the luxury of electric fans at a very small cost, pay only for what is used as recorded by the light meter.

When the present term of circuit court convened, there were only ten prisoners in the county jail—an unusually small number. Jailer Noonan attributes his small family to the fact that a large per cent of them have been released on bond.

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Pick over and wash through several waters one pint of rice, soak in cold water for an hour, drain and drop into a large saucepan filled with boiling water, add one teaspoonful of salt and boil rapidly for ten minutes. Drain, add one quart of clear soup stock and one saltspoonful of saffron and simmer until the stock is absorbed. Turn out in a greased mold and keep warm. Prepare an ordinary mutton soup and serve in a tureen; turn the rice out on a heated dish and serve with the soup.

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One of the provisions of the contract is that Mr. Andrews must remain in the air at least 30 minutes on each flight. The place of departure, of course, will be from his hangar on the Industrial League grounds, east of town. The flights will be absolutely free, and can be witnessed throughout a wide range of territory. Over the Mississippi river he will do the spiral glide and other dare-devil stunts, at a height of 8,000 feet, to thrill those who witness the dangerous performance.

In short, we are to have three Red Letter days next week.

Besides daily aeroplane exhibits there will be other attractions. Richardson Bros. Concert Band and Male Quartette is a favorite musical attraction that will be on the grounds.

There will be a set of twin attractions, famous the country over, who will cry the lot sale. Both will be in action at the same time—saying the same words in the same tone of voice at the same time. These are the renowned Penny Bros., of Carolina. Another set of twins—Thomas Bros.—will, in the vernacular of the lot salesman, do the "ground work." That is, to explain the dimensions of lots, etc. It is said that these twins so closely resemble each other that it is impossible for a stranger to tell one from the other. They are equal to a minstrel show in their stunt of "selling a lot a minute."

For the benefit of visitors not living on the "Father of Waters," pleasure steamers will run cheap excursions in afternoons and night. The names of the boats running these excursions are not known at this time.

This big event is being put on by the Industrial League, assisted by the American Realty and Auction Co., of Greensboro, N. C. G. B. MacCullum, advertising manager for the firm, arrived here this week, and is assisting Mr. Brown in getting things in readiness for the three biggest days Hickman has seen for a long time. The Courier is assured by Mr. MacCullum that the Atlanta aviator is an artist in his line, and no amateurish aeroplaning will be pulled off to disappoint the crowds. This week, Andrews is making flights at Atlanta, Ga. He is in the employ of the Lindsey-Hopkins Aviation Co., who guarantee him equal to the best in the United States.

In addition to the attractions here mentioned, there will be others, which will be made public on the opening day of the sale.

Miss Pauline Caldwell, of Paducah, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Flynn, and brother, Will Caldwell.

The veneer mill was to have been put in full operation last week, but owing to trouble with the big turbine and other electrical machinery, they have been unavoidably delayed. The chief electrician from Louisville and an engineer from Chicago are at work on this machinery. About four hundred men are at work at the plant now.

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Mr. Reynolds and family will return to their former home at Union City—much to the regret of the many friends they have made during their stay in Hickman. It is probable that he will be connected with the Union City Lumber Co., of which W. A. Dadds, of Hickman, is owner.

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Hearn Brown spent Sunday in Nashville, returning Monday.

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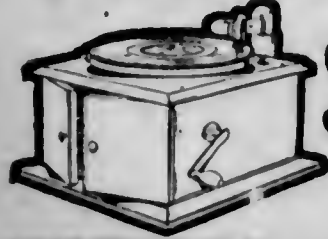
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## SCIENCE AND INVENTION



### UMBRELLA HOLDER IS HANDY

Leave Both Hands Free to Attend to Other Things and is Convenient for Letter Carriers.

One of the things that has helped the popularity of the raincoat is the universal objection to carrying an umbrella. Indeed, people in some occupations find it impossible to carry umbrellas, and they will rejoice in the supporter designed by an Indiana man. Particularly will letter carriers find it a convenience, as it will hold an umbrella over their heads and leave both hands free to get mail from their bag and ring the doorbell. The



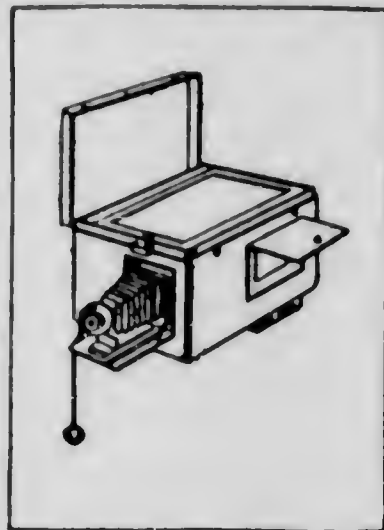
Umbrella Holder.

holder is attached to the user's coat and has a groove in it and hooks to engage whatever enters the groove. The handle of the umbrella is placed in the groove and clamped fast, holding the rain protector firmly above the owner's head. If the rain stops the umbrella can be closed and carried in the holder ferrule down, thus preventing it from being an encumbrance even then. Any person who has bundles to carry would find one of these devices useful.

### DEVELOP PLATES IN CAMERA

Missouri Man Invents Contrivance Enabling User to Finish Pictures Anywhere He Wishes.

In taking photographs while traveling or on vacation trips it is usually necessary to bring all the plates or films home for development, owing to lack of darkroom facilities. A Missouri man has circumvented this by inventing a camera that is also a dark room and the owner of which can develop his plates practically anywhere he chooses. The camera proper is of the bellows type and is set in one end of a box much larger than would be required to hold it. It rests on a hinged door when extended. The box has a plateholder in the front end, but practically all of its interior is clear and near the rear end is a win-



Camera a Dark Room.

dow of colored glass, covered by a hinged flap. A flexible sleeve with an elastic mouth is fitted into the rear wall and the operator works through this. With such an apparatus a picture can be developed outdoors immediately after it is taken.

### Ventilating Fans Harmful.

A test of ventilating fans in Brussels has shown that in many places they do more harm than good by stirring up germ laden dust. In the restaurants and cafes investigated, the number of bacteria in each cubic meter of air ranged from 10,000 to 22,000 before the ventilators were started, from 17,000 to 48,000 after they had been running an hour, and from 27,500 to 85,000 after two hours' running. In a laboratory where remedies for tuberculosis were prepared, the bacteria increased from 8,500 before the ventilator was started to 45,000 after one hour's running and 75,000 after two hours'. In a private parlor the bacteria numbered 660 before the starting of the ventilator, 2,500 in one hour and 4,000 in two hours, and then—the ventilator being stopped—diminished to 700 in two hours.

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Where Quality Reigns Higher than Price.

### OLD TEACHERS RE-ELECTED.

All Places Filled But That of Principal.

The school board met Friday evening for the purpose of electing teachers for Hickman's public schools for the school year of 1912-13. With the exception of principal, all the old teachers were employed.

They are as follows:

Miss Inez Luten.  
Miss Annie Sharron.  
Miss Faustino Wingo.  
Miss Mattie DeBow.  
Miss Mattie Mae Seay.  
Miss Imogene Moore.  
Miss Bette Bruer.  
Mrs. Avey Journey.  
Miss Lite Faria.  
Miss Annie Ballow.  
Miss Marguerite Fuqua, music.  
Miss Louise Atwood, librarian.

Mrs. Journey, Misses Lite Faria and Annie Ballow will look after the new primary school in West Hickman.

The matter of electing a principal will be taken up at the next meeting of the board, probably next week. There are two applicants for the place—Prof. B. F. Gabby, our present principal, and Prof. E. S. Clark, of Uniontown, Ky. Prof. Gabby has been principal of our schools for a number of years, and his services have been exceptionally satisfactory. It will be hard to find a more competent and painstaking man in school work. Here's hoping Prof. Gabby is kept at the head of the Hickman public schools, which by the way are second to none in the state.

When you are happy drink PLEZOL. When you are dry drink PLEZOL. When you look for prosperity drink PLEZOL.

Dizziness, vertigo, (blind staggers), sallow complexion, flatulence are symptoms of a torpid liver. No one can feel well while the liver is inactive. HERBINE is a powerful liver stimulant. A dose or two will cause all bilious symptoms to disappear. Try it. Price 50c. Sold by Hickman Drug Co.

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Don't buy a roof to last just "a year or two." You can now roof with Peerless at a lower first cost than you've ever dreamed possible. And you know that Peerless is the permanent roofing—the positive protection that once laid, never requires repairs. Just put on

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THIS is the month—Tornado Insurance protects your Roof, Windows, Doors, Chimneys, and, in fact, your whole house, at a ridiculously low price.

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Writes Tornado, Life, Fire, Burglary and All Kinds

"BETTER BE INSURED THAN SORRY"

Helps a Judge in Bad Fix.

Justice Eli Cherry, of Griffin Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured. Chores, burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, piles and bruises. 36c at Helm & Ellison's."

### ELECTION OF TEACHERS.

The election of teachers for the rural schools will be held June 1st. Teachers wishing positions will please file applications with the sub-district trustees. State the number of years taught and the kind of certificate held.—Virginia Luten, Co. Supt.

## (MONEY TALKS)

### Have you a Mortgage to pay?

Adopt the plan of making regular deposits in our Savings Department to take care of the payments.

In this manner the interest on your savings will help pay the interest on your mortgage, and you will find it much easier to meet your payments when due.

Drop in and discuss this plan with us.

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Hickman, Kentucky

Capital \$50,000.00

Surplus \$32,500.00

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### FARMERS' TELEPHONES.

A dollar a month does not go far enough after it gets into the telephone company's treasury to satisfy the manager who has to pay the upkeep and operating expenses on a big rural line system, and keep a little small change to hand over to stockholders once in six months. He has to cut too many corners, and run too many chances of getting caught short of a bank balance by a sleet storm, or a law suit.

Twelve dollars is too low for farmers' blue service on the average system, with the quality and cost improved as it has been in the last few years. It is time to start after this rate. The farmers can afford to pay more—why should not they be induced to recognize value received?

Of course we know what the farmers do when it is proposed to raise the telephone rate. But can this go on forever? What is the best way to get this thing into better shape?—The American Journal of Telephony. (The Independent Telephone Journal.)

Someone has truthfully said that nothing but a mit can make money without advertising. It might be added that the mit couldn't do it if it didn't put its competitors in jail.

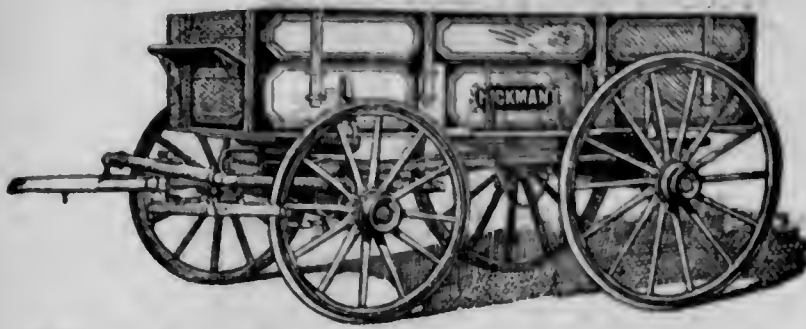
FOR SALE: Young cow with calf; young Red Polled Bull, registered; a pair good young mules.—E. G. Maddox, Route 3.

1,000 Black Locust Fence Posts for sale, at 25c each. See Walter McMurry, at Hickman.



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people you want to  
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The only up-to-date dairy in  
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Hearse and driver furnished on  
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Dimension Stuff cut to order on  
Short Notice.

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if you are in need of anything  
in this line, see

Dr. J. M. HUBBARD

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for THIS  
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Extra fine Bartlett Pears, large  
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## FAMOUS SUFFRAGIST

Began Life's Battle Handicapped  
by Fate.

Early Struggles of Dr. Anna Shaw,  
Head of the Suffrage Association,  
Who Won Success Against  
Many Discouragements.

Boston, Mass.—One of the ablest  
leaders connected with the woman  
suffrage movement in the United  
States is Dr. Anna Shaw, president  
of the National Suffrage association.  
She started for Albion college, in Mich-  
igan, with just \$18 in her pocket. She  
had earned that \$18 by teaching  
school at \$1 a week, and after she  
had earned it she had to wait one  
year for the dog tax to be collected  
to get her pay.

Dr. Shaw was born in England, like  
those other pioneers of the suffrage  
movement, the Blackwells. But her  
parents took her into Michigan 52  
years ago, when she was eight, having  
stopped four years in Massachusetts  
on the way. They traveled days and  
days in an old-fashioned prairie  
schooner to reach their destination.  
Then they lived in a log cabin. The  
cabin was papered with spare copies  
of Horace Greeley's paper, and Anna  
learned to read from the paper on the  
walls, beginning with the big letters  
in the advertisements and progressing  
to the editorials.

Miss Shaw spent four years in col-  
lege and another four in the theo-  
logical and medical schools of Boston  
university. Her people were deeply  
opposed to the whole plan and told



DR. ANNA SHAW

her they could do nothing whatever  
to help her. During that eight years  
she had only \$91 that she did not  
earn.

She lived in an attic without any  
fire—in a Boston winter. She studied  
in bed to keep warm, her breath mak-  
ing frosty clouds upon the air. She  
had not food enough to satisfy hunger.

One day she was sitting on the  
stairs. She had sat down because she  
felt too weak to get to the top. A  
woman whom she knew slightly came  
along and asked her why she was sit-  
ting on the stairs. When she found  
out she went away and borrowed \$91  
from another woman and gave it to  
Miss Shaw with the proviso that she  
was never to know from whom it  
came. That was the only help she

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Thousands Have Been Helped  
By Common Sense  
Suggestions.

Women suffering from any form of fe-  
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promptly with the woman's private corre-  
spondence department of the Lydia E.  
Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.  
Your letter will be opened, read and  
answered by a woman and held in strict  
confidence. A woman can freely talk of  
her private illness to a woman; thus has  
been established a confidential corre-  
spondence which has extended over  
many years and which has never been  
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testimonial or used a letter without the  
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Out of the vast volume of experience  
which they have to draw from, it is more  
than possible that they possess the very  
knowledge needed in your case. Noth-  
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should be glad to take advantage of  
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Every woman ought to have  
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had through her course. She repaid  
the money after she was graduated  
and never knew who lent it.

But about this time she acquired  
the warm friendship of Mrs. Persis  
Addy, a widow. During the final year  
of her course Mrs. Addy took her into  
her home, and though the student paid  
the same board she had been paying,  
she had for it the comforts of a good  
home and the devoted care of Mrs.  
Addy. Mrs. Addy had planned to go  
to Europe and take Miss Shaw with  
her as soon as the latter should have  
finished her course. She died just be-  
fore commencement, but in her will  
left Miss Shaw \$1,500 for the specified  
purpose of taking a European trip.  
When she was planning this journey  
Mrs. Addy's father said to her:

"Now, you will spend that money  
and it will be gone forever. Instead  
of cash, let me give you two bonds  
worth \$1,500. Then I will keep the  
bonds for security and lend you \$1,500  
on them. When you get to work you  
can repay me as convenient, and  
when it is all paid the bonds will be  
yours again."

She did this, and having acquired a  
certain sentiment about the matter,  
has done the same ever since. She  
has left the bonds on deposit and let  
the interest accumulate, and they  
have paid the actual traveling ex-  
penses of her three trips to Europe.

Miss Shaw took the medical course  
because during her theological course  
she did missionary work in Boston.  
She found, to use her own words, that  
she "had nothing the people wanted."  
They did not want either her theology  
or her gospel. They wanted help in  
their material lives. She took the med-  
ical course in order that she might  
give them free medical treatment.

It was as a missionary doctor and  
preacher in the slums of Boston that  
Miss Shaw became convinced that  
there were certain defects in an al-  
l male government which called for  
political power in the hands of women.  
She had always believed in woman  
suffrage. Now she decided to work  
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Pie Plant  
Asparagus  
Green Peas  
Green Onions  
New Potatoes  
Squash  
New Dried Onions  
Beets  
New Cabbage

Mrs. I. D. Price.  
T. L. White.  
Joe Dial.  
A. J. Hunziker.  
Ida Braumham.  
Mrs. M. F. Griffin.  
Jno. Fethe.  
Millet & Alexander.  
Percy Jones.  
Joe Noonon.  
Mrs. A. M. DeBow.  
Lloyd Brown.  
Lee Poyner.  
Forrest Coleman.  
Dr. D. O. Jeter.  
Jim Williams.  
J. M. Ezelle.  
W. H. Jackson.  
G. L. Darnell.

Vea Kelley.  
R. M. Metheny.  
C. H. Thompson.  
Mrs. Lucy Watson.  
Mrs. A. C. McDaniel.  
S. B. Parker.  
Capt. O. L. Powers.

The annual meeting of the State Dental Association will be held in Louisville, May 27 to 29.

J. T. Benedict, of Clinton, has brought suit in circuit court against the I. C. Ry. Co. for \$25,000 damages for the death of his son John Benedict, who was killed in a rear-end collision on the road south of Clinton in March, this year.

After June 1, if you ask a French railroad official the time, and if it is 3 p. m., he will not say that, but instead will answer that it is "15 o'clock." If the hour is 10 p. m., he will say "22 o'clock." For France is going to number the hours on her clocks straight around the dial, without any repetition for a. m. and p. m. one o'clock after midnight will be one o'clock, and then the count will go straight on until at midnight—or old 12 o'clock—the hands will point to "24."

Messrs. Claggett and Saunders, of Union City, attended the Cunningham-Bondurant wedding Tuesday evening.

Jonakin & Thacker Bros. is the style of a new firm which has embarked in the general merchandise business at Jordan. The gentlemen composing the firm are well known in that immediate vicinity, and should make a go of their new venture. That they are wideawake and progressive is attested by the fact that they believe in advertising. Look up their ad in this paper.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will meet with Mrs. G. W. Wilson next Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

There will be a big bunch of visitors in Hickman next week to see the aeroplane stunt.

## CUNNINGHAM—BONDURANT.

James Robert Cunningham, of Union City, and Miss Annie Lucile Bondurant, of this city, were married at the home of the bride's father Tuesday evening, by Rev. Stewart, of Union City.

The bride is a great favorite in Hickman and with all who know her. The groom, we understand, is a popular business man of Union City and is worthy of the fair bride he has won. They will make their home in Union City.

The bride was attired in a lovely traveling suit of blue. The groom wore conventional black.

Only a few relatives and special friends were present. While we regret to lose one so much loved and appreciated by all who know her, we must congratulate Mr. Cunningham in having won the hand and heart of one of Hickman's favorites, whom we have every reason to believe, has all the requisite qualifications to dispense sunshine in a home and make happy the one man who can love her to the exclusion of the whole world.

Many friends were at the depot at 10:30 p. m., to extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, ere they took the train which bore them away to Cincinnati, Louisville and Nashville for a short stay, after which they will be at home to their friends in Union City.

May their pathway ever be strewn with flowers. . . .

See the "New Line of Lemar Cravats" at Curlin's.

## GRAND JURORS.

T. J. Gordon.  
W. R. Bowen.  
J. N. Shupe.  
A. R. Stephens.  
E. A. Mayfield.  
E. Bettersworth.  
W. F. Blakemore.  
W. H. Donoho.  
G. W. Johnson.  
J. W. Rogers.  
J. S. Smith.  
R. M. Isler, Foreman.

## PETIT JURORS.

John Huddleston.  
Morgan Davidson.  
Chas. Isbell.  
W. D. Luten.  
S. A. Choate.  
J. R. Graham.  
W. H. Baltzer.  
J. R. Davis.  
Lemon Elliott.  
S. B. Burrus.  
O. R. Sane.  
John McClellan.  
S. N. Sweeney.  
Charlie Thompson.  
H. P. Johnson.  
G. L. White.  
W. P. Murrell.  
W. O. Shankle.  
W. A. Harpole.

### We're Opposed to Mail Order Concerns Because—

They have never contributed a cent to furthering the interests of our town—

Every cent received by them from this community is a direct loss to our merchants—

In almost every case their prices can be met right here, without delay in receiving goods and the possibility of mistakes in filling orders.

## But—

The natural human trait is to buy where goods are cheapest. Local pride is usually secondary in the game of life as played today.

## Therefore

Mr. Merchant and Business Man, meet your competitors with their own weapons—advertising.

## Advertise!

The local field is yours. All you need do is to avail yourself of the opportunities offered. An advertisement in this paper will carry your message into hundreds of homes in the community. It is the surest medium of killing your greatest competitor. A space this size won't cost much. Come in and see us about it.

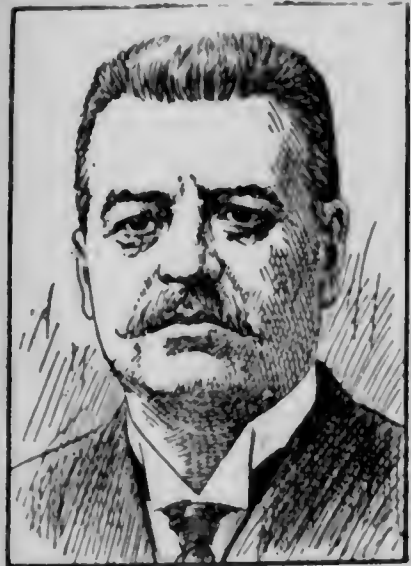


## THE HICKMAN COURIER

"Covers Western Kentucky Like the Dew"

SPEER & SEXTON, PUBLISHERS

Subscription Rates \$1.00 Per Year



PRINCE LOUIS,  
Heir to Throne of Monaco.

Kindness and Courage.  
Question not, but live and labor  
Till your goal be won.  
Helping every feeble stranger,  
Seeking help of none.  
Life is mostly front and bubble,  
Two things stand like stone—  
Kindness in another's trouble,  
Courage in our own.  
—Adam Lindsay Gordon.

Modern business men in all  
lines have come to the realization  
that newspaper advertising  
is not expensive, but an invest-  
ment, and a mighty good one.

### GERMANY'S GREAT MONUMENT

Colossal Memorial Nearing Completion  
Is Built to Commemorate the  
Battle of Leipzig.

Leipzig, Germany.—Perhaps the  
most colossal monument in all Ger-  
many is nearing completion here.  
Leipzig was the scene of three note-  
worthy battles—two in the Thirty  
Years' War and one in the Napoleonic  
war. The monument is to commemo-  
rate the battles between the French  
under Napoleon and an allied army of  
Austrians, Russians, Prussians and  
Swedes. The monument will be dedi-  
cated in October, 1913, on the battle's  
centenary.

In the accompanying illustration the  
monument is shown as it will appear  
when completed. Some of the giant  
carvings—one of them forty feet  
high—are already in place. Even in-



Leipzig Monument.

complete, the monument thrills you  
with its colossal dimensions. It is  
three hundred feet in height, but it is  
built on such a mountainous scale that  
its tremendous height is minimized.  
It faces the city fronting a concreted  
lake several acres in extent. A broad  
boulevard will lead from it straight  
into Leipzig.

### THE DIMENSIONS OF HEAVEN

Praeger Figures It to Be the Equal  
of a 792,000 Story  
Building.

Louisville, Ky.—Heaven's exact di-  
mensions were figured out in the ser-  
mon of the Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor  
of a Louisville church, preached to his  
congregation recently. In the course  
of his sermon the preacher said:

"In Revelations, twenty-first chap-  
ter, sixteenth verse, nervous Chris-  
tians have read where the dimensions  
of heaven are only 1,500 cubic miles.  
Immediately they jump at the conclu-  
sion that even this space will not ac-  
commodate the vast multitude of  
which the Bible speaks.

"However, calculation will show  
that this space will accommodate a  
building 792,000 stories high, and it is  
easy to demonstrate that such a  
building would accommodate an in-  
numerable multitude."

### TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Teachers' examinations will be held  
at the Court House at Hickman on  
the following dates:

May 17 and 18.

May 24 and 25.

Virginia Luten, Co. Supt.

## Buy the Best

My Lots on The Hill  
Will Always be  
The Highest Priced Residence  
Lots in West Hickman  
They Are Now  
The Cheapest  
Considering Location  
Buy While Low  
And Make More

Prices will advance \$5 per lot  
on June 1st. See Russell John-  
son or J. H. Russell.

G. B. BOND

## GENERAL FARM NOTES

The breeding ram should be of the  
best to be had.

Crop rotation belongs to any system  
which seeks to better the soil.

Thin ewes have no business drop-  
ping lambs at any season of the  
year.

Plenty of cheap pasture or a heavy  
green mulch to plow under is always  
a good asset.

In no line of domestic animals can  
there be greater improvement made  
by good sires than in sheep.

The ewes when bred should have  
special attention to keep them strong,  
vigorous, active and contented.

The breeding ewes should be fed  
and gotten into good condition in the  
fall, after the lambs are weaned.

Any feed that can be used for a pas-  
ture is worth more in that form to  
the farmer than if plowed under for  
manure.

Remember the cow has a hard time  
to keep up her nasal milk flow and  
fight flies, to say nothing of the effect  
the terrific heat has upon her.

The man who neglects to keep all of  
his farm buildings insured is  
taking a greater risk than he can af-  
ford, no matter how well off he may  
be.

Soft fruits like apples, pears and  
peaches will keep well in refrigera-  
tor cars for six or even eight days, but  
will spoil in two or three days in warm  
cars.

When cultivating the orchard use a  
short singletree with the ends curved  
back like a half moon—no scraping the  
bark off with this.

In buying grass seed get heavy,  
clean seed. Clean timothy seed will  
weigh 45 pounds and clean red top 21  
pounds to the bushel.

### LATE COURT NEWS.

The grand jury has returned six in-  
dictments up to last night, several of  
those indicted being arrested and be-  
fore the court for trial at this term.

Willie Adams vs. C., M. & G., dis-  
missed on demurrer. Appeal granted  
defendant. The suit is for \$2500 for  
damages.

J. Q. Adams et al vs. W. A. Dodds.  
Dismissed settled.

J. M. Garrett, appeal from Hickman  
Police Court, where defendant was  
found guilty of violating local option  
law, jury hung. It is understood that  
the jury stood eleven for conviction  
and one for acquittal.

Jas. Wilson, malicious shooting, 1  
year in penitentiary, and an indict-  
ment for escaping jail was filed away.  
Wilson, it will be remembered, shot  
Lavel Noonon and shot at Rob Gon-  
der on Thanksgiving day four years  
ago when seven prisoners broke jail,  
overpowering the jailer and taking  
his cell keys when he carried their  
limer to the prisoners. Wilson shot  
the jailer in the hand with his own  
pistol and opened fire on the crowd  
on the river bank. The other case  
will be pushed when he is released  
from the penitentiary.

Jo Fry, receiving stolen goods, con-  
tinued. Defendant is charged with re-  
ceiving goods stolen from W. S. Do-  
ty's store in West Hickman.

N., C. & St. L., common nuisance,  
two cases, dismissed.

Barnell Wright, appeal from Hick-  
man Police Court where he was found  
guilty of violating the local option  
law, fined \$57.50 by a jury.

Jim Ammons, firing deadly weapon  
on public highway, fined \$75 by jury.

Green Oatsvale, who shot a Mr.  
Boldt at a store near Bessie, will be  
tried today.

RIVER: Falling at all points above.  
Cairo gauge reads 48.2, a fall of .5  
in 24 hours. Indications point to a  
rapid fall.

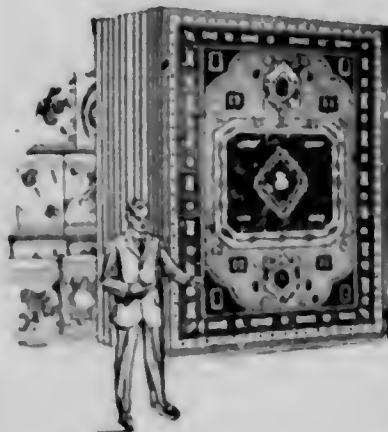
### 568 PEOPLE FED YESTERDAY.

Rev. H. J. Geiger, who has been  
identified with relief work since the  
flood last month until the present  
time, has compiled some interesting  
figures during his services. The high-  
est number of refugees in Hickman  
at any one time was 4,000. The loss  
of personal property to these people,  
such as clothing, furniture, chickens,  
pigs and other purely personal prop-  
erty, amounted to \$37,320.75, which  
on an average is certainly not exag-  
gerated. All of these people were  
renters, and these figures have nothing  
to do with the loss of houses,  
fences, horses, farm machinery and  
farm products. Rations were issued  
from the commissary yesterday for  
568 people and forage for 565 head of  
stock.

Come and see us—we can show you  
where you can save money on each  
and every purchase bought of us.—  
Sullivan Bros.

# Rugs, Matting, Linoleums Oilcloths, Carpets, Curtains, Shades

Articles of interest to every housekeeper. The new pat-  
terns for Spring are shown in their full range of colorings.  
It is a display unequalled in character and variety in any  
other store in Hickman. The low prices are one of the  
chief attractions.



## Rugs Rugs

If you are interested in rugs you  
should see our line before buying.

Brussels, Velvet and Axminster, room  
size, Oriental and Floral designs.

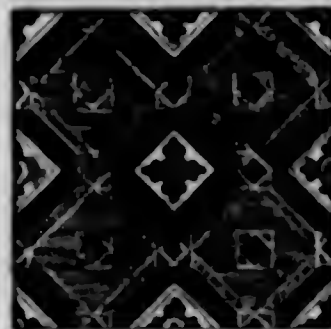
Price range from \$10.00 to \$25.00

### Linoleums

6 ft. printed Linoleums,  
floral and block patterns,  
per sq. yd. 55c and 65c

### Oilcloths

3 ft. and 6 ft., attractive  
patterns 30c to 50c



### Curtains

A wide range of materials  
and patterns at 50c to 80c  
a pair.

### Shades

Plain and duplex, all regu-  
lar widths and lengths,  
at 25c to 1.25

## Matting

China Matting in neat patterns at,  
per yard 12½c to 35c

Japanese Matting, floral and figured  
designs, at 20c to 40c

Grass Rugs, especially adapted for Summer  
use, at \$2.50 up, according to size.



## Smith & Amberg

### SAYS THE OWL.

Not all the hot air comes from fur-  
naces.

Of course a man with a better half  
isn't the whole thing.

Much that passes for real wisdom  
is nothing but nonsense.

A change in fashion separates a  
man from his spare change.

When some people pray it sounds  
more like an order than a petition.

Every time an old bachelor meets  
a young widow he gets stage fright.

An ounce of sense today is far bet-  
ter than a pound of regret tomorrow.

Eternity seems a long time—except  
to a couple of women saying good  
by.

A prima donna doesn't always lose  
her temper when she goes up in the  
air.

Many a woman drives her husband  
to drink and then blames him for  
letting her do it.

What a small boy can't understand  
is how a small girl manages to keep  
her hands so clean.

How contented most women seem  
to be who live alone—and how dis-  
contented most men are who try it!

"Hey, there!" called an old farmer  
to a man on the corner—and three  
grass widows stopped and looked  
around.

The tax books for the county are  
ready, and Sheriff Johnson can begin  
collecting taxes about May 20. Tax-  
es are due and collectable now after  
March 1st, and the officials are anx-  
ious to get the taxes collected as ear-  
ly as possible.

1,000 Black Locust Fence Posts for  
sale, at 25c each. See Walter Mc-  
Murry, at Hickman.

### IN A GENERAL WAY!

Filtered Ice Water at H. E. Curlin's  
Onion Sets at Battersworth and  
Prather's.

The N., C. & St. L. operators will  
not call a strike.

WEATHER: Fair today and Friday.  
The Confederate reunion will be  
held in Chattanooga in 1913.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Neel was here  
yesterday in connection with the  
Cooko vs. Hale & Ward timber suit.

Mrs. Lena Farham is agent for a  
comprehensive and interesting book  
on the Titanic disaster. It is well  
written and illustrated and will prove  
a valuable book.

### CANDIDATES SPEAK.

The three announced candidates for  
Congress from this district spoke at  
the Court House Tuesday afternoon  
to a good sized audience represent-  
ing all parts of the county. There  
being no special issue to be discus-  
sed, the gentlemen good naturedly pre-  
sented their claims to the voters. Of  
course each man had a logical rea-  
son why he should have the place in  
preference to his "worthy" opponent.  
To an outsider it appears that Judge  
Barkley and Hon. Denny P. Smith  
will share public favor about equally,  
and will have the lead over Hon.  
Jake Corbett. Corbett, however, will  
be in the running and is making a  
good impression among those, who for  
lack of knowing him, failed to con-  
sider him seriously. All are good fel-  
lows—give them an equal show and  
let the best man win.

## The Hickman Courier and Memphis Commercial Appeal

Both a whole year for

\$1.25

## Why Not Take a Look at Our New Styles First?

Our showing of Coronation Pumps and Street Oxfords in vel-  
vet, suede, bright kid, dull kid, tan russia, gun metal, white  
buck and linen crash, are indeed great values at

\$2.00 to \$4.00

MILLET & ALEXANDER





## Announcement

WE are pleased to announce that our new \$2,500 Iceless Soda Fountain, one of the very finest in Kentucky, is now in operation, and you are cordially invited to visit Jones' Cafe and see this magnificent fixture. No one in Hickman or any other city, is better prepared to take care of the Soda Water and Ice Cream business. We manufacture our own ice cream and know that it is pure, fresh and wholesome. All syrups and fruits, used at the fountain are absolutely pure---none better.

☐ Jones' Home-Made Bread, which has continued to grow in popularity solely on its merit, is better than ever. We have built a new coke oven and added all modern improvements---heat registering and electric devices---that insures absolute perfect baking. The baking department is, according to State Inspectors, one of the most sanitary and modern in the state. Surely our efforts in and disregarding business depression resulting from the flood, will merit your patronage.

☐ During the aeroplane flights next week, make your headquarters here. Electric fans and all conveniences.

PERCY JONES

surface of the earth is wearing off constantly around the sides, as his land is getting so thin it will hardly hold water.

Tobe Moseley's mule ran away with him during one of his contrary apellis last Sunday morning. The animal ran for more than a mile, and in the rounds came within a hairsbreadth of the Dog Hill Church, barely missing the sermon.

Raz Barlow went hunting Tuesday but met with very poor success, as most of his experience in the shooting line has been at Saturday night dances and barbeques.

Little Fiddy Flinders has got into the unbecoming habit of talking back at himself in the cistern. This indicates very bad raising.

The Excelsior Fiddling Band has been meeting clandestinely for the past several nights under the old sycamore tree on Musket Ridge, practicing up for a surprise birthday dinner that is to be given Washington Hocks on the second Sunday in April.

The editor of the Tickville Tidings has decided to speak unfavorably in his editorial columns about everybody that does not take his paper. He has also begun the job of cleaning out his storm cellar.

The Deputy Constable has had the community flustered this week by his attempts to apprehend a hog thief in the Calf Ribs community. The defendant is of a suspicious nature, and though the Deputy Constable is heavily disguised as a blind man, he cannot get within sight of him. The Deputy refuses to show the white feather, and expects to catch him in one of the large steel traps he has set along the different paths for that purpose.

The physiology class of the Wild Onion school spent a profitable day this week at the bone yard near Rye Straw.

Jefferson Potlocks has started on the job of digging a cistern on his place. In it he expects to keep an extra supply of water to be used for drinking purposes in cases of emergency.

Sidney Hocks put on his other pants the other night and called on Miss Flutie Belcher. He would have stayed longer but he did not know what else to say.

On his way home from Tickville Friday night with some cheese Cricket Hicks spent the night at the home of Frisky Hancock. For protection during the night Cricket set a rat trap in his pocket.

The Two Twins from the Calf Ribs neighborhood called on our tonsorial artist, Dock Hocks, at the blacksmith shop, and got a hair-cut between them.

### MORRIS--DAVIS.

Robt. L. Davis and Miss Minnie Morris, two popular young people of Fulton, were married at the Court House Monday by Judge W. A. Naylor.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. A. J. Wright, and an accomplished and sensible young lady.

Mr. Davis and A. J. Wright, the local harness man, have formed a partnership known as the Fulton Harness Co., and Mr. Davis will look after the firm's interest at Fulton. Congratulations.

Stringless snap beans---as good as new ones from the garden, only 15c a can at Bettersworth & Frather. Extra fine peas at 30c.

### Council Proceedings

Hickman, Ky., May 6, 1912

Council met in regular session presided Mayor Dillon, Councilmen Leber, Schlenker, Dillon, Powell and Bradley. Minutes of last meetings were read, and on motion approved and signed.

An account of H. B. Irvine for labor on city levee for \$2.25 was on motion allowed.

H. G. Hale made application to borrow \$2000 from the Water & Light Bond Account, and J. W. Hone made application to borrow \$1000 from the same fund. On motion the applications were approved conditioned that the security offered is sufficient in the opinion of the City Attorney, and the matter was referred to him for investigation, and the Clerk authorized to issue the checks upon the recommendation of the security on the

part of the City Attorney.

The following accounts were presented, properly approved and on motion allowed and checks ordered issued for amounts:

Hickman Tin & Plumbing Co., labor and supplies.....\$78.70  
Hickman Courier, printing.....\$8.20  
Brandon Printing Co., tax books.....\$12.30  
John Wright, street work.....\$144.85  
Hickman Ice & Coal Co., supplies for street lights.....\$10.95  
J. A. Noonan, deting prisoners \$43.90

Report of City Treasurer for March 1912.

#### General Fund Account.

To bal. per Feb. report.....\$ 19.13  
To amt. recd. John Wright..... 175.00  
By int. paid on bonds..... 194.13  
By amt. paid out in March..... 20.95  
Balance to credit this account \$174.08

#### Water & Light Bond Account.

To bal. per Feb. report.....\$1504.69  
By int. paid on bonds..... 840.00  
Bal. to credit this account.....\$ 664.69  
Report of City Treasurer for April, 1912:  
To bal. per March report.....\$174.08  
To amt. recd. John Wright..... 95.00  
By amt. paid out in April..... 175.00  
Bal. to credit this account.....\$ 94.08

#### Water & Light Bond Account.

To bal. per March report.....\$664.69  
To amt. recd. B. G. Hale..... 2147.50  
By int. paid on bonds April..... 30.00  
Bal. to credit this account.....\$2782.19

#### W. C. Johnson, City Treasurer.

The Clerk reported that he had executed the following deeds for ground in City Cemetery:

Perry & Green Lowery lot No. 481, size 18x20 feet, in Colored Cemetery, consideration \$10.00.

Jennie Linder lot No. 451, size 18x20 feet, Colored Cemetery, consideration \$14.40.

J. B. Grabam, east half of lot No. 343 in City Cemetery size of half lot 9x20 feet, consideration \$14.40.

John W. Smith and Mrs. Amy Watson, west half of lot No. 343 in City Cemetery, size of half lot 9x20, consideration \$14.40.

The Clerk holds Tom Dillon, Sr.'s receipt in payment for same.

On motion the foregoing reports were received, published and filed.

On motion, the Street Commissioner was instructed to have all cans and rubbish removed from West Hickman at the expense of the city at once; and thereafter to rigidly enforce the law against all parties who permit cans and rubbish to lie upon or around their premises.

The ordinance introduced at the last meeting relative to screening candles and fruits was again read, and on motion was amended by striking out the section section thereof, and when so amended to read as follows:

The City Council of the City of Hickman, Ky., do ordain as follows:

That it shall be unlawful for any person, company or corporation to expose for sale any food, food products candy or fruit in the store, or upon the streets without same being screened in such a manner as to entirely protect the same from flies and mosquitoes, and any person so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction in the Police Court, shall be fined not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$25.00 for each offense, and each day shall be a separate offense.

Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

Attest: H. C. Helm, City Clerk.

The ordinance was then read as amended, and on motion passed by the affirmative vote of the five Councilmen present.

The ordinance as to screening bous es introduced at the last meeting was read, and on motion tabled.

On motion Council adjourned to meet Monday night May 20th, 1912.

Attest: H. C. Helm, City Clerk.

Tom Dillon, Sr., Mayor.

FOR SALE: Good mare, buggy and harness.--Jno. Kirkindall.

While engaged in helping with the work in the commissary Monday, Rev. H. J. Geiger had occasion to lay his hat down for the time. When he started to leave he could not find the headgear, and a thorough search revealed the fact that it had been given out to some of the refugees along with other wearing apparel. There is such a thing as being in another man's hat as well as "in another man's shoes."

W. R. Neely, claim agent for the Lee Line Steamers, was here from Memphis this week.

Filtered Ice Water at The House of Quality.

Try Our FRESH MEATS  
O. H. MOORE  
Phone 4

### HOGWALLOW NEWS.

Miss Flutie Belcher has placed her order for a flask of nice perfume, and is expecting it any day. Since she has gone and done this there will be no need of any sweet scented flowers around Hagwallow this spring except to look at.

It is understood that we are to have another road to run through this place, provided plans do not miscarry. We already have a good road running east and west, and plenty large enough for any sober man to turn around in at any point, and we cannot see the necessity of another one. The fewer roads we have the longer our buggies and wagons will last.

When spring gets under full headway and Poke Hazley can move his chair out on the front porch at the post office, the postmaster announces that he will have much more room inside.

Sim Flinders says he believes the

## Notice to the Public

After being temporarily out of business for three weeks on account of water, we are back again with bigger and better stock than ever, and are receiving new goods every day, such as Mattresses, Chairs, Refrigerators, Screen Wire from 24x44 inches, also a large shipment of Glass in large sizes from 26x36 to 52x70 at half the price you are paying other dealers. Please give us a call and be convinced that what we say is true.

Hammond-Allen  
Furniture Company

W. E. ALLEN, Manager.

Arctic Cold



Refrigerators

Refrigerators From \$7.50 up

Hickman Furniture Co.

E. E. REEVES, Mgr.

Next Door to P. O.



# A CHANGE

We have purchased the Lumber Yard of T. R. REYNOLDS and are now ready to take care of your needs in all kinds of

## BUILDING MATERIAL

You will receive courteous treatment and your orders will receive prompt attention, whether large or small.

### A SQUARE DEAL TO EVERYONE

(Our Slogan)

## HALE LUMBER COMPANY

#### WATER DRIVES OUT 500.

Refugee Camp and Commissary Re-Opened at Hickman Sunday.

The second rise in the river, which reached a maximum of 50 feet on the Cairo gauge last Sunday, made it necessary for many people to leave the bottoms below Hickman last week and come to this city to get on high ground. They had only been away from town a few days, having spent a month in camp during the big April rise.

Their return to Hickman made it necessary to re-open camp, and something over 500 people are now being fed by the government. The commissary in charge of R. W. Eaker, was opened Sunday morning in the old Fuqua, Helm & Co. stand, where both clothing and provisions are being given out to those in necessity. The committee in charge of this work is composed of Mesdames A. A. Faris, R. L. Bradley, T. A. Ledford, Ernest Johnson, S. L. Dodds, J. W. Naylor, C. G. Schlenker, and Misses Bettie DeBow and Charlotte Hubbard, and Messrs. R. W. Eaker and Rev. H. J. Gelger, assisted by Capt. Powers,

Capt. Elliott and Lieut. Ramsey.

The commissary has been fortunate in receiving a large lot of clothing sent in from Texas, Nashville, Louisville and Pulaski, Tenn.

One hundred sixty-six people were given rations Sunday morning when the commissary opened, and at present over three hundred are being fed and quartered in government tents.

To be exact, the commissary issued rations as follows:

Sunday, 166 people.  
Monday, 400 people.  
Tuesday, 522 people.

On Tuesday 326 head of stock were also being fed by the government.

It is now thought the situation will be such that rations may be discontinued in the early part of the coming week, as the river is falling rapidly and a large per cent of the refugees may be able to return to their homes in the bottoms.

M. B. Shaw is erecting a new house on one of his lots west of the foot of the court house steps. It will be remembered that three houses burned on these lots a short time ago.



SCENE IN GOLDEN GATE PARK, SITE OF THE PERMANENT FEATURES OF THE PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION AT SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

#### NOTED FEUDIST SHOT.

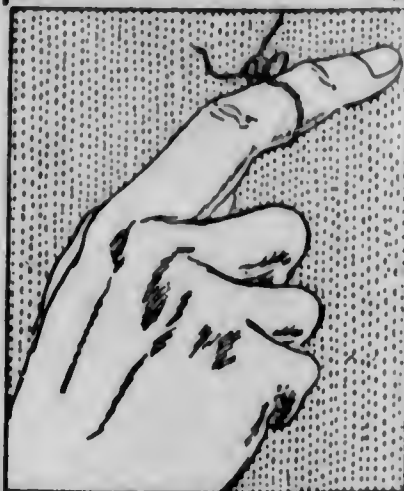
Ed Callahan, the most noted feudist in the Kentucky mountains, and charged with being an instigator of many murders, was shot from ambush Saturday. Callahan was shot down while standing on the steps of his store at Crockettville. His body was riddled with bullets. He was standing in exactly the same spot where he stood two years ago when he was shot through the lungs. He was formerly sheriff of Breathitt county.

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#### MEXICAN TROOPS SLAY 700

Heavy Federal Force Surrounded in Piedras Negras.

San Antonio, Tex.—Dispatches from Eagle Pass tell of a victory of federal troops over rebels at a point near Monclova, in the state of Coahuila, where 700 rebels are reported to have been killed.

It was reported that the federals, commanded by Jesus Carranza, has encountered a force of 1,500 rebels at Cuatro Cienejas. The rebels, under Salazar, believed they had an easy time ahead, and marching upon Piedras Negras, across the river from Eagle Pass, became careless. The federals suspected this, returned, surrounded the town while the rebels were celebrating, and routed them.

#### CORN ONLY \$1.20 A BUSHEL.

Not since the re-construction days has feed stuff been so high in Hickman. Corn—just plain corn, too—is selling here at \$1.20 a bushel. And hay seems to have gotten in the grasp of the trusts, as it is retailing at \$35.00 a ton. This is the same

corn our farmers sold last fall at 50c, and the hay is no better than they sold at \$15. The most striking feature of the whole thing is that the farmer is the man who is buying most of the high priced feed stuff, having sold the same products last fall for less than half what he is paying now. The middle man—the same fellow that made a fortune of our grandfathers and is now riding in his automobile—is the fellow who is reaping a rich harvest now because the average farmer does lots of work and little thinking. It is to be hoped that the farmers and planters who have been caught at the mercy of the grain buyers this year, will open their eyes to the simple fact that it is better to raise their own forage and hold it than to sell it to the other fellow, pay the freight both ways and buy it back at twice what he sold it for.

TAKEN UP: Two red bull calves; two spliffs left crop in right, crop and swallow fork in each. This stock is at Stahr's livery stable. 1p

#### JURY SING SUGGESTIVE HYMN

Prisoner in Cell Hears Church Service in Courtroom.

Wytheville, Va.—The Allen jury went to church Sunday and returning to its room in the court house held a song service. The hearty voices of the twelve stalwart countrymen blended in the harmony of the old hymn, "Are You Ready for the Judgment Day?"

Across the court house green, Floyd Allen, the prisoner on trial—first of the gang which shot up the Carroll county court in March—heard the song.

Allen's mental strain, and the physical agony he has endured from his broken leg, which was improperly set, have made him a sorry sight. He is now little like the rugged mountaineer who once spread fear over a countryside. His decline has alarmed all who see him.

A. McDaniel has been spending several days with old Hickman friends.

S. P. Henry returned to Nashville one day last week for further treatment for an ailment which has been troubling him for some time.





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### NEW TELEPHONE MANAGER.

The second change has taken place since the resignation of D. Owens in the local management of the Cumberland Telephone Co., at Hickman. A. J. Beades, of Union City, was given Mr. Owen's place and looked after the business one week. Monday new man, Tom Hall, of Tiptonville, succeeded Mr. Beades, and he will probably continue in the local management, or rather in the capacity of assistant, as J. M. (Mac) Moore, of Union City, will have direct supervision of the Hickman exchange. Mr. Moore was formerly manager here but has been holding a similar position at Union City for the past three years.

This company now has a force of men engaged in cabling their entire system within the city. They also have new boards and other equipment to be installed when the cable work is finished. Prospects are good for one of the very best systems in the state.

James Cunningham, of Union City, was here Sunday.

The department of agriculture at Washington will send a man to Kentucky to teach the farmers how to build concrete silos.

Dan Creason, wife and baby left Saturday for Hope, Ark., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Creason's mother, Mrs. C. L. Spillers, who died there last week.

Ed. C. Cline, of Eaton, Ohio, arrived in Hickman Monday, and is the guest of his alder, Mrs. C. G. Schlenker. He will leave Saturday for McAlester, Okla.

Mrs. C. L. Walker left Saturday night for Valparaiso, Ind., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Chester Barnes. She was accompanied as far as Fulton by Mr. Walker.

Capt. O. L. Powers, who has been at Hickman during the recent flood and rendered most excellent service in behalf of the flood sufferers, spent Sunday with his wife at Earlinton, Ky., returning to Hickman Monday night.

The little 3-year-old baby boy of Tom Myers, who was forced out of the bottom on account of high water, died Monday in the West Hickman Baptist Church, where they were provided with temporary quarters. The remains were laid to rest at Brownsville, Tuesday.

Floor Dressing for sale by H. E. Cullen.

Clean up. Get rid of all the piles of rubbish, tin cans, rotting refuse heaps sprinkle lime and make it an impossibility for flies to breed in Hickman.

C. B. Travis' mill in West Hickman was started up again Tuesday, after being put out of business by the flood for over a month. His loss of grain and other damage amounted to over \$1,500. In fact he was one of the heaviest losers in the overflowed section of town.

See the "New Line of Lemar Cravats" at Curlin's.

There will be a big bunch of visitors in Hickman next week to see the airplane stunt.

It was reported this week that John Edwards, who owns an 80-acre farm in the sand, had been offered John McFarland's 400 acres of bottom land in exchange for it. But John McFarland says this is a mistake. He admits, however, offering Edwards 40 acres of bottom land for his 80 in the sand. —East Prairie Eagle



## It's easy

to tell you what the correct styles in clothes are for this Spring, but it's much better to show them to you.

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### SPRING TIME



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### CLAYTON NEWS.

Mrs. Jennie Cloar went to Union City Monday.

Ed Marshall and wife were in Union City Monday.

News is scarce in this neighborhood now as everybody is at work.

The farmers in the hills are getting busy during this pretty weather.

Mrs. Toy Coar and Mrs. Kent Harper went to Hickman one day last week.

Misses Pearl Cloar and Lillian Cheatham spent one day last week in Protemus.

Sunday School is now held at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoons, instead of in the morning. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Taylor, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Tom Cheatham, returned to her home in Martin Monday.

Fred Robertson purchased a fine mare from Jim Lusk, of near Brownsville, last week, paying \$200 for the animal.

Mrs. Linda Edwards, of Brownsville and little grandson, Clyde Bowen, of near Jordau, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Griffith.

L. L. Hindman, of Clinton, and Miss Ruby Samuel, daughter of a prominent Columbus merchant, were married Sunday at Paducah.

W. P. Nyles, for 30 years a well known citizen of Fulton, died at his daughter's home in Martin Sunday within a short time after the death of his wife. He was a Confederate veteran.

It is said that a well known attorney in the east end of the county placed \$700 here this week on a wager that Jno. Hendrick, of Paducah, would be our next Congressman. That looks to us like a good chance to lose \$700.

A subscription paper is being circulated among the baseball fans for the purpose of defraying the expense of equipping a local team for this city. Hickman has a ball park and a bunch of boys that can do some good playing with a little practice. Why not have a team?

### 101 and Penniless.

St. Louis, Mo.—Joseph Meyer, 101 years old, who has lost six children and a chicken farm by floods, has started to a Chicago institution of charity with 5 cents in his pocket. He will cover the distance afoot.

After the Galveston tidal wave had killed his two sons and four daughters, Meyer gathered what remained of his \$30,000 fortune and started a farm at Hickman, Ky. The flood there destroyed his chickens and everything else but a few odds and ends.

### Railroad Company Indicted.

Chicago.—The Illinois Central Railroad Company was indicted by a federal grand jury here charged with violations of the government laws regulating the interstate shipment of cattle.

The indictment charges the railroad company with having shipped a carload of cattle in 1911 from Mississippi to Chicago without inspection when the state was quarantined by Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture on account of the fever epidemic among cattle in that state.

A petition signed by over 400 people, will be presented to the members of the school board at their next meeting asking that Prof. Gabby be retained as principal of Hickman's schools.

### Save Remnant of Flag.

Montgomery, Ala.—A silk star from the flag that was unfurled above the first company of Confederate troops organized in Montgomery will be placed in the department of archives and history. President W. A. Gunter, Jr., has received a letter from A. B. DeBell, deputy warden of game and fish of Michigan, advising that he has the star among his collection of Civil War trophies, and that he will present it either to the city or state. President Gunter will thank him for the star, and it will be brought to Montgomery at once.

### Butler Monument Set Back.

Boston.—The proposition to erect a statue of the late Maj.-Gen. Ben F. Butler, either within the state capitol or upon the statehouse grounds, received another setback, when a house committee voted "ought not to pass," on the bill. Earlier in the session the committee on statehouse reported adversely, but the house overruled the report and the bill was sent to the ways and means committee. The bill provided a \$25,000 appropriation.

W. A. Dodds is just finishing six new cottages in the Henry Addition. This seems to be the fastest growing section of Hickman.



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the matter.

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### FIVE WILL GRADUATE.

The graduating class at Hickman College this year will consist of three young ladies and two young men. They are Misses Cecil Barnes, Nanie Smith and Pansy Weatherly and Messrs. Lon Naylor, Jr., and Edgar Mayes.

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached at the court house Sunday morning, May 26, by Rev. H. E. Gabby, of Hopkinsville, a brother of Prof. H. F. Gabby, of this city. All denunciations, of course, are invited to take part in the service.

Commencement exercises will be held on Thursday evening, May 30th.

### The Nettleton



### Kermit Model

Maker's Editorial:—Created for Spring 1911 trade, for the purpose of giving the wearer a combination of broad toe, with 1½ inch heel. Liberally purchased by many Nettleton agencies who felt a demand for a shoe of this character.

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snug-fitting, with a  
broad, roomy toe.  
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long-wearing Russia  
Calfskin; just the  
style that satisfies.

Come in and see  
the Kermit, and the  
other advance Net-  
tleton Styles.

### House of Quality

Capt. Hollis Kirk returned Sunday from a few days' stay at Craig Landing.

Jesse Fields, of Fulton, was here Sunday, the guest of Miss Mary Kin-bro.

M. C. Hamilton, president of the St. Louis Fur Co., was here on business Tuesday.

## BURLEY TOBACCO IS DEAL RATIFIED

SOCIETY APPROVES PURCHASE  
OF STRATER PLANT.

Loose-Leaf Plants to Cost \$50,000  
Each, Will Be Built at Several  
Points in the State.

Lexington.—The executive committee of the Burley Tobacco Society, which is also the executive committee of the Burley Tobacco Company, the property holding branch of the society under the new ten-year pool, met here and resolving itself into the committee of the Burley company formally ratified the purchase of the Strater Brothers' tobacco factory at Louisville. In the discussion before the committee it was stated that it would take fully fifteen months to build the new tobacco factory to be erected by the company in this city, and that it was important for the company to secure an established plant so as to begin its manufacturing operations as soon as possible. The Strater company, it was said, had a national reputation for the thirty brands which it made, and employed more than fifty salesmen on the road. These salesmen and the other employees of the Strater plant will be retained by the Burley company, the policy of which will be not to disturb the working organization in any way.

New loose-leaf plants of unusual magnitude are to be built this summer in Frankfort, Shelbyville, Mayesville and several other points, each of which will cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

### GOOD SEED CORN SCARCE.

Agricultural Department Issues Warning to Farmers.

Seed corn in Kentucky this spring is running so poorly that warning has been issued by the department of agriculture to the farmers of the state urging them to pay more attention to the kind of corn planted. It is stated by Commissioner of Agriculture Newman that he has had great difficulty securing enough good seed corn to supply the 10,000 members of the corn-growing clubs which have been and are being organized in the state among the school boys. Unless the farmers look carefully into the quality of the corn that they plant this spring the crop in Kentucky will be short, Mr. Newman says.

### Pensions For Confederate Veterans.

Washington.—Representative R. Y. Thomas, Jr., in an interview, expressed his willingness to take up with the War Department, matters of identification of Kentucky Confederate soldiers so that they or their estates may apply for monthly pensions under the new Kentucky law. Mr. Thomas has received many requests for the records of individual Confederate soldiers, but the files of the War Department are by no means complete.

"One of the very best laws passed by the recent session of the Kentucky Legislature was that granting a pension to Confederate soldiers, and the widows of Confederate soldiers," he said.

### Lige Turpin Acquitted.

Stanford.—A jury of Lincoln county men acquitted Lige Turpin of the murder of Boge Phillips at the present term of the Rockcastle Circuit Court. The affair happened one night during the Brodhead fair several years ago. Interest was so keen that a jury out of that county had to be obtained. Turpin is 69 years of age and was a member of the company commanded by Gov. McCreary during the Civil War. The evidence against him was purely circumstantial.

### Increase in Collections.

Louisville.—Internal revenue collections for the month of April this year exceeded those of April, 1911, \$5,887.69, according to figures given out by D. B. Edmiston, deputy collector for this district. The total collections for the month just closed amounted to \$1,301,387.64, while those for April, 1911, amounted to \$1,295,499.95. The collections on whiskey during the month show a gain of \$53,993.94 over those of April, 1911, while the collections on tobacco show a decrease of \$34,995.02, compared with collections last year.

### Poultry Experiment Plant.

On account of the growing importance of poultry raising in Kentucky the State University has bought a plot of land adjoining the university grounds, and will devote it to poultry experiments in connection with the college of agriculture.

### Pumphouse Rammed.

Eddyville.—This city is facing a water famine of a serious character, so far as fire protection and domestic service is concerned, as the result of the wrecking of the penitentiary pumphouse this afternoon when the towboat Clyde rammed the pumphouse with her tow of six barges.

### Youthful Mother.

Georgetown.—Probably the youngest mother and grandmother in the state live in Georgetown. Mrs. Kate Fields, 13, became the mother of a daughter Thursday. The grandmother of the babe is barely 30.

### Feud Leader Shot.

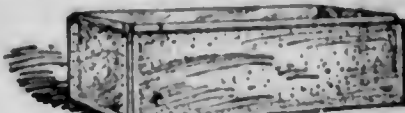
Lexington.—Ed Callahan, notorious Breathitt county feudist, was assassinated as he stood in the door of his store at Crockettville. The feudist was riddled with bullets.

## FARM AND BEES

### CHAFF HIVES FOR WINTERING

No Better Place for Caring for the Bees Than Out of Doors During Severe Cold Weather.

I know of no better method of wintering bees than to winter them out of doors providing you have the right kind of hive, and pack them properly and in season, says a writer in the Orange Judd and Farmer. I have



The Hive Bottom.

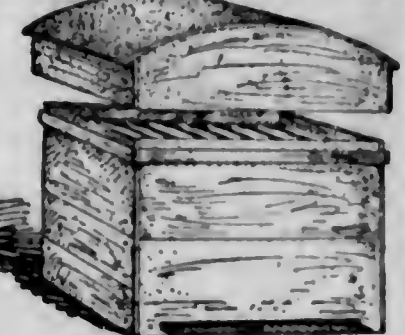
five different styles of chaff or double-walled hives, the result of several years' experimenting, and the hive illustrated here is the one I like best of any, as it not only winters well, but it admits of all kinds of manipulation and tying up, as well as single-walled hives.

These hives are made as follows: Bottom board at least four inches larger each way than the hive designed to be packed in it. It would be better six or even eight inches if you can stand the extra lifting on the covers, which must be larger in proportion.

Nail the four sides to lap over the bottom, coming down flush with the under side and thus keeping any water from soaking in onto the bottom. Make them high enough so that when your inside hive is placed therein, the outside rim will be three or four inches above the inside hive.

Cover should be six inches deep at outside and deep enough in center to make slant enough to shed water. One of the secrets of successful outdoor wintering is an abundance of packing. Make cover just large enough to telescope over top of outside rim, which should have pieces nailed on one inch below top to build it up.

If you tier up much in the summer, don't hinge cover, but leave it



Outside Packing Case.

so you can remove it and put on extra rims to raise or tier up to any desired height. Cover the bottom with tar paper, which will retain heat and also keep out ants.

Make an inside bottom to fit the inside hive, and long enough to project through the entrance in outside rim and leave an alighting board two or three inches wide across the front. Make a bridge the width of your packing space to put over the passage to outside entrance, and keep out chaff, etc.

### Gathering Fuel.

If one can possibly get the time he will do well to pick up a lot of fuel in the wood lot that cannot be had after snowfall. It pays to gather up this wood in more ways than one. It saves the wood, makes the forest look more tidy and pleasing to the owner's eye.

### Blanching Celery.

In order to have white stalks of celery, it is well to blanch it by banking with earth or placing boards about it, leaving just a few inches of the stalk above ground. This is done gradually in warm weather; the boards are more satisfactory, as the celery does not decay as readily under them.

### Pasturing Winter Wheat.

Wheat which was planted early and is now up and making a good growth may be pastured when the ground is dry or frozen, without materially affecting next season's crop yield. Keep the stock off when the ground is muddy.

### Telephone Wires.

The telephone wire is one of the strongest ties that binds people to the farm. It is the nerve which keeps farm folk in touch with their friends and neighbors and in touch with the outside world.

### A Goal for the Farmer.

Every farmer should work out and adopt a permanent system of agriculture under which he can increase and maintain the fertility of his land, enjoy a good living, rise in social value, and wield a good influence in his community.

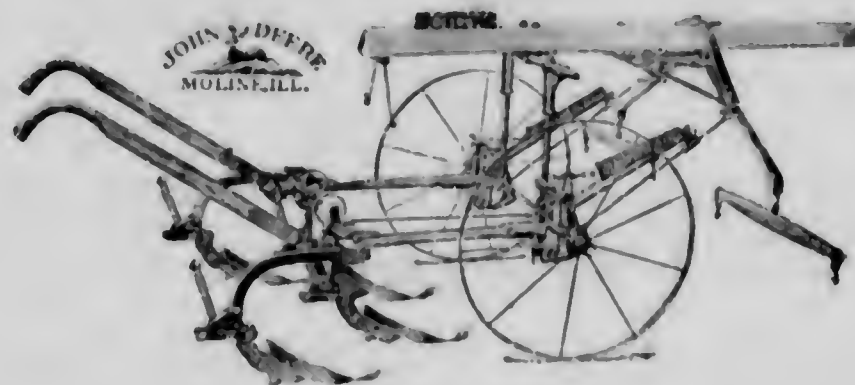
### Dressing for Corn.

Corn treated with a dressing of plaster and ashes will soon show by the strong growth and the dark color of the leaf the effect of the dressing.

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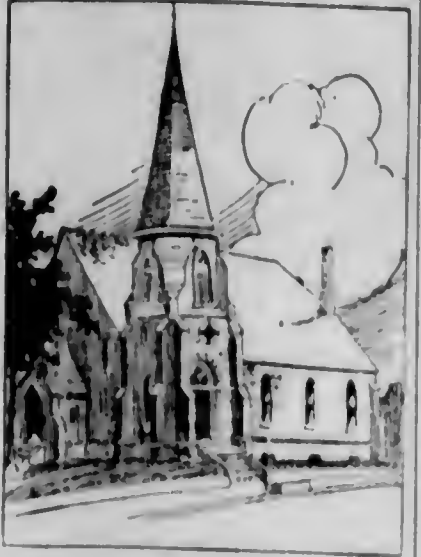
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## CHURCH BUILT OF FOSSILS

Building Constructed of Blocks Hewed From the Petrified Depths of a Nearby Swamp.

Mumford, N. Y.—In Mumford is a church building constructed of fossils. At first glance the walls appear to be constructed of rough sandstone smeared with an uneven coating of gritty, coarse plaster; but a closer view shows delicate traceries of leaves, lace-work of interwoven twigs, bits of broken branches, fragments of mossy bark, splinters of wood, all preserved against the wasting of time



Mumford Church.

and decay by being turned into the hardest of flinty limestone. Every block of stone in the four walls is a closely cemented mass of dainty fossils, literally packed and interwoven. There is no waste rock at all, but only fossil fibers, which give the rock cohesion and strength. Nevertheless, the stones are light in weight compared with granite and sandstone.

The blocks were hewed from the petrified depths of a nearby cedar swamp. Mumford is situated in the heart of the great area of rock, once the bed of an ocean, known to geologists as the Niagara limestone. It crops out either in the form of the soft, calcareous stone, or the hard and more serviceable blue limestone. The clear, cold water which gushes from innumerable springs or flows in frequent brooks throughout the Mumford country is alkaline from the lime held in solution.

## WILL HANG OUT SHINGLE.

E. J. Stahr, of this city, presented his license to practice law, and was sworn in as a member of the local bar by Judge Hugg, Monday.

Atty. Stahr was granted a license to practice law in the Calloway circuit court, and was told, passed and exceptional examination. He is Hickman's youngest lawyer.

## NUGGETS.

Some courtships end in marriage and some in the courts.

A silver lining in the pocket is worth two in the clouds.

Some men can take a drink and let it alone. Others take it alone.

Many a man suffers from dyspepsia because he never tips the waiter.

Many a fellow who is a light weight is really a heavy weight to his friends.

Lots of people live in the same square who don't move in the same circle.

Many a fellow who claims he never does things by halves will borrow a quarter.

Never strike a man when he is down, especially if you are going to strike him for a loan.

We frequently hear of people who suffer untold agony, but no woman with a tongue in her head ever did.

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## Bombay's Great Cotton Arch



Cotton is the staple crop of a large part of India and its manufacture the staple industry of Bombay. Consequently, when King George visited that city recently the arch of welcome here illustrated was constructed entirely of bolls of cotton.

## SIAM'S AMAZON GUARD

Siam is one of the few countries which boast of corps of women police. The members of this Amazon Guard are all old and ugly. They wear uniform though they are not armed. Their chief duty is to act as gate keepers of the inner, or women's palace at Bangkok. They follow any stranger who enters the palace and remain with him until he takes his departure. They see that there is no mischief made and that no one makes love to the royal wives and concubines. Men who have business inside the palace—doctors, architects, carpenters, electric light fitters, etc.—enter the palace freely, but are always accompanied by some of the Amazon guard. The palace has some difficulty in recruiting these guards, as the work is hard and the pay poor, and the qualification—uncomplimentary.

## RELIC OF INDIAN MUTINY



In front of St. James' church in Delhi, the old-new capital of India, are a cross and hall that are vivid reminders of the great Indian mutiny. At that time they were on top of the church, and they contain no fewer than a hundred bullet holes.

## THE WAY IN GERMANY

Last year a Russian traveler asked a Berlin railway official on which platform a train to a particular city would arrive. The official nodded to one side. The Russian interpreted this as permission to cross the rails in the direction of the nod. A shunted engine went over him and cut off his arm. A week later in hospital he received a Strafmandat requiring him to pay 45 marks for "unauthorizedly, and to the state railway regulations contrarily, crossing the line."

## MINERALS IN HUMAN BODY.

The human body contains, among other constituents, about two pounds of phosphorus, which is essential to the health of the bones and the vigor of the brain. This phosphorus, if extracted and put to another use, would make up about 4,000 packages of friction matches.

Besides phosphorus, the body contains a few ounces of sodium and half an ounce of potassium. The quantity of the latter would be sufficient for many experiments in a class in chemistry.

In addition to sodium and potassium there are a few grains of magnesium, enough to make the "silver rail" for a family's stock of rockets on a Fourth of July evening or to create a brilliant light visible at a considerable distance.

## WHEN THEY WORE "PIGTAILS"

The edict sanctioning the abolition of the pigtail reminds us that it is not so very long since the pigtail disappeared not merely from the army and navy, but even from every day civilian life in England. Watling pigtails were the fashionable wear in England about 1740 and before that the bag wig had been adorned with a pigtail looped up in a black silk bag. As late as 1858 an old gentleman was seen on Cheapside with his gray hair tied behind in a short queue, and even today we can find a relic of the pigtail, for the three pieces of black velvet on the dress tunics of officers in the royal Welsh fusiliers are the remains of the ribbon with which the queue was tied.

## FIRST CAT TAX LEVIED

Munich, in Bavaria, is the first city in the world to levy a tax upon the domestic cat. The tax is 5s, and every cat is provided with a special collar and a metal check such as the dogs wear. Those who are not thus provided will be caught by authorized persons. The measure is not popular, but it is considered that there are far too many cats in the city, and it is expected that the levying of the tax will result in reducing the numbers kept.

## RAINIEST SPOT ON EARTH

The rainfall of a village among the hills of Assam during the ten weeks from May 1 to July 9 was 250 inches. The village is Cherrapunji, the rainiest spot in Asia and presumably in the world. Its annual rainfall is something over 450 inches, say, 15 times as much as London. Cherrapunji stands on a plateau overlooking the plain of Sylhet, and it is 4,455 feet above sea level.

## Wall To Stop Evil Spirits



The peculiar wall shown in the illustration is near Hankow, China, and was erected to stop the passage of evil spirits, presumably on the same principle which causes the ordinary middle-class dwelling house in China to have inside the front door a fixed screen which compels anyone entering the house to turn to the right or left. The explanation of this is that evil spirits are able to move only in straight lines.

## ....S. M. Naifeh's Store....



This corset model, like cut, is undoubtedly the best corset for only \$1.00 that was ever sold, and it's a Kabo make, there is none better, others up to \$3.50. When you need a corset come to S. M. Naifeh's store and we positively know that we can suit you. Give the Kabo Corset a trial and you will never use any other make. Ask anyone who wears them.

## Come to Us For Shoes

We carry the Julia Marlowe line, which for durability, style and comfort are not surpassed \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50.

In Men's Shoes we carry the Bates' line. They have more snap and style than any other line made today, and for good wear none better, \$3.50 and \$4.00.

If you come to our store to do your shopping we guarantee to give satisfaction. Every line complete.

## SUDE M. NAIFEH

ON THE CORNER

THE DRY GOODS MAN

## THELBERT ROGERS HURT.

Thelbert Rogers, of night rider fame, was probably fatally injured Sunday by being thrown from a buggy. It is said he and three companions were in a buggy having a little "high" time when their horse ran off the road and down the hill near an old still house. Rogers was picked up and carried to his home, four miles this side of Reelfoot Lake. Attending physicians ascertained that he has suffered internal injuries from which he may not recover.

Water proof Straw Hats—never heard of them?—See them at H. E. Curlin's.

Mrs. Percy Jones entertained the following at 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening: Judge R. J. Hugg, Attorneys R. L. Smith, B. T. Davis, J. W. Roney, Sam Crossland, A. M. Tyler and Gus Thomas.

## SOMETHING DOIN'—?

It is rumored that detectives, sent here to keep "tab" on the situation during the time the government was furnishing food for man and beast driven into camp here by the flood, have found some cases where forage was given out to parties financially able to buy their supplies, and that they will be prosecuted. It constitutes a grave offense to accept federal aid when it can be proven that a person is financially able to take care of themselves and stock; in fact, all were duly warned against fraudulently obtaining supplies at the government's expense.

List your real estate with the Courier; if we don't sell it, it doesn't cost you anything.

Boys Knickerbocker pants, all colors, full peg, \$1 and \$1.50 values at 35c and up.—Sullivan Bros.

## 14 HOUSES WASHED AWAY.

The recent high water did considerable damage at the narrow neck or cut-off at Slough Landing, below Hickman. Fourteen houses were washed into the river by the water cutting across the narrow half-mile strip. It also washed the banks badly, and it is only a question of time when the river will make a channel there. When it does, New Madrid will no longer be a river town, and at the same time, thousands of acres of fine bottom land will be ruined. Where the water poured off on the lower side of the neck of ground, it washed a hole said to be fifty feet deep. W. A. Hinshaw came across this strip in a gasoline boat while the water was up, and has the distinction of being the first man to ever cross it in a launch. It is now only a half mile across the narrowest place, while to follow the main channel of the river is forty miles. Some of our citizens can remember when it was eight miles across this place. A few more high waters, and the river will cut a channel here, and shorten the river fully forty miles. From time to time not only residences but whole farms have paid toll to the greedy, slowly encroaching waters.

Come and see our bargains in boys and mens suits. We will save you money.—Sullivan Bros.

At the First Methodist Church next Sunday will be all the regular services, the evening service beginning at 7:45. At East Hickman Chapel Friday evening at 7:45 will be regular services, and Sunday School Sunday afternoon at 2:30.

See our \$1 values in Overalls—cool and light. Our price 60c while they last.—Sullivan Bros.

R. M. Chowning, president of the First National Bank at Fulton, received a telegram from the House of Craue, cigar manufacturers, of Cuba had been awarded the grand prize dianapolis, hearing the good news that in a contest which they have been conducting. The prize is an automobile to cost one thousand dollars or the option of that amount in cash. He is going to take the cash.

Seed Potatoes and Garden Seed CASH.—Bettsworth & Prather.

## Did You Ever Think?

That is, did you ever stop to consider that a line of shoes must be pretty good before the manufacturer can back it up as strongly as the

## KORRECT SHAPE

line is backed up? It surely means something.

If you have not found it, you owe it to yourself to see that the soles of your Spring and Summer shoes or oxfords bear the KORRECT SHAPE stamp.

Prices \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00

We carry at all times the most complete lines of children's, misses', and ladies' Strap and Oxfords in all leathers and white duck. Prices the lowest, considering the high grade.

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## CONVERSES WITH ANIMALS

Charles Kellogg of California, who, if not a nature-faker, is one of the most remarkable human beings of all time, arrived at Cambridge, Mass., recently from Paris to confer with professors from Harvard's department of science, confident that he could convince them of his ability to converse with animals. Mr. Kellogg has just returned from Europe, where he gave demonstrations of his unique power before professors of the universities of Paris and Berlin. According to Mr. Kellogg, he has accomplished in reality during a life spent in the wilds of the Sierra Nevada mountains in California what the genius of Kipling makes Mowgli accomplish during a childhood passed in the tropical jungles. But Kellogg has for friends only the animals of the temperate American west. He knows not the language of the tropical monkey, though he has often talked "bear" with the grizzlies of the Sierra Nevada. Crickets, squirrels, lizards and rattlesnakes are some of the other animals whose languages Mr. Kellogg speaks fluently. Says Mr. Kellogg:

"It was by years of constant observation and associating of sounds with actions that I mastered the 13 animal languages I am familiar with. I began on domestic chickens and gradually extended my study to include such wild animals and reptiles as the bear, the lizard and the rattlesnake. Using a system of hieroglyphics modeled upon the modern Chinese system, I have compiled a dictionary of the language of the ordinary brown or hearth cricket, which has the most highly developed language of any of the animals I am familiar with, though I have reason to suspect the monkeys are superior in this respect. From my dictionary I find there are 27 elemental words or sounds, and 55 other words made up of various combinations of the original 27, a cumulative system not unlike that of the Germans. The number of words or sounds in other animal languages I am familiar with varies from 12 to 95."

Although Mr. Kellogg admits that his ability to interpret the enunciations of animals is the result of long and arduous study, he insists that his ability to make himself understood, to imitate the sounds of these animals, is God-given. He says he can without the least difficulty reproduce any sound that comes from an animal's throat. He has a peculiarly constructed palate, no tonsils, and the cord connecting the teeth with the lower lip is entirely missing, but he has been assured by the most noted specialists that there is nothing abnormal about his throat and vocal cords. They are at a loss to account for his strange gift.

## LARGEST OF PROJECTILES

The accompanying illustration is of more than ordinary interest from the fact that it shows the largest and heaviest projectile in the world, being the huge five-foot, armor-piercing shell fired from the United States government's great 16-inch rifle, which may be taken to the Panama canal. This giant shell and powerful gun are considered two of the most destructive and deadly engines of warfare in existence. The monster 16-inch rifle, the only one built so far, is now at the



Bandy Hook proving grounds, and has only been fired a few times. The huge shell of steel can be hurled a distance of 20 miles or more, and weighs 2,400 pounds. The powder charge is nearly 500 pounds. The cost of firing one shot reaches in the neighborhood of \$1,000. It is not probable that this type of gun will be used, but rather the 14 inch, for the main coast defenses of the Panama canal. This formidable and long range weapon, though capable of firing so tremendous a projectile, is too costly, and fires too slowly for modern warfare.

## FRENCH FISH GO ON A JAG

An unusual sight was witnessed at Frontignan, France, recently. The ponds of Eaux Blanches and the Midi Canal were covered with fish floating about on the surface in a helpless and altogether inexplicable manner. The customs officials were the unwitting cause of this phenomenon. They had seized 66,000 gallons of "doctored" Spanish wine at the frontier station and disposed of it by emptying it into the canal, with disastrous effects on the fish. The fish could be easily caught with the hand and the local fishermen were quick to take advantage of their helpless state.

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## R. L. BRADLEY

"STITCH IN TIME LINE"

P. S.—Make our store your headquarters next week, during the big aeroplane flights.

## RED CROSS APPEALS FOR FLOOD FUNDS

ARMY ORDER NO MORE RATIONS FOR REFUGEES.

AWAIT CONGRESS' ACTION

Red Cross Society Appeals for Funds to Aid the Sufferers—160,000 Persons Must Be Cared For.

Washington.—The failure of congress to pass the resolution appropriating \$420,000 for the relief of the flood sufferers along the Mississippi river caused the army to instruct Major Normandy, in charge of the work in the Mississippi valley flood district, to cease making contracts for supplies, and prompted the American National Red Cross Society to issue a second urgent appeal for funds to take up the work of relief when the army stops. Urged to action, the house passed the relief resolution, but the measure still lacks the sanction of the senate. When the money is made available only \$170,000 of it will be left, the balance going to the commissary department to reimburse it for funds already spent from its regular appropriation. While congress has been asked for only \$420,000, it was declared by Commissary General Sharpe of the army that probably \$750,000 would be needed to take care of the situation. Fully 160,000 persons in the flooded section are being fed daily on army rations. The first flood is just entering the Louisiana district, and another is on the way down the river. In Louisiana alone during the flood of 1882, \$231,000 was spent.

Declaring that the cutting off of relief operations by the army because of lack of appropriations would result in "nothing less than incalculable suffering from hunger, exposure and disease," the American Red Cross issued another appeal for funds for this work. They asked immediate response to enable them to take up the relief when the army leaves off. While the Red Cross has issued one appeal for the flood sufferers, it came right after the Titanic disaster and consequently little response was received.

"With many thousand helpless people dependent wholly upon public bounty for food, shelter and medical care and with thousands of horses and cattle to be protected and fed," said the Red Cross officials, "any general or prolonged discontinuance of relief operations at this time can result in nothing less than incalculable suffering from hunger, exposure and disease."

Marked Improvement.  
She was shy when she went away  
Two months ago precisely.  
But please now, I have to say,  
Real nicely.

She was shy for a city miss;  
I look at it actually  
And wonder how she learned to kiss  
So cutely.

But she is not inclined to tell,  
And I can not ponder,  
How do girls learn to kiss so well?  
I wonder.

Lem Magness, son of W. R. Magness, of Mayfield, was instantly killed at Mayfield Friday afternoon about 3 o'clock when he accidentally came in contact with a live wire while repairing a telephone line.

## From the Fulton County Capitol

Circuit Court convened in Hickman Monday morning, but got a poor start. Monday was given over to empanelling and charging the grand jury. Tuesday morning a part of the petit jury was chosen and Tuesday afternoon the four candidates were given an opportunity to present their claims to the voters that were attending court.

Judge R. J. Hugg, of Bardwell, is presiding, and R. L. Smith, of Clinton, representing the Commonwealth.

The court got down to business Wednesday morning and the following cases have been disposed of:

Infant Maryd, a gypsy, charged with grand larceny, case filed away. She jumped her \$50 bond and left the county.

Capt. T. A. Smith, of the Free Lee, was acquitted of one charge of violating the local option law and nine other cases of the same character were filed away. The judge gave the jury peremptory instructions to find for the defendant.

Walter Huggitt, breach of peace.

case submitted to the Court and fined \$10 and costs.

Dave Richmond, violating local option law, dismissed.

Walter Russell was indicted by the grand jury charged with chicken stealing. Released on bond.

The case of Tom Thomason charged with shooting the foot off of a small negro boy in a road in the bottom, is set for trial today.

Wesley Higgins, malicious shooting, continued.

Tom Gillam, false swearing, continued.

Ela Ray, Albert Stacy and Sam Cleaves, detaining a woman, continued.

Bob Flanagan's trial is also set for today.

The court gave peremptory instructions to find for the defendants in the case of State against Ben, Will and James Whitson, charged with malicious shooting. This case originated in Madrid Bend near Besse.

Sheriff Johnson was ordered to get a special venire of fifty men to try the case of Ethel Barfield, charged with the murder of two white men Christmas week, in the bottom. The case has been set for trial today.

## METHODIST CHURCH AND AMUSEMENTS

BISHOPS FAVOR RAISING BAR AGAINST SAME.

WARM CONTEST EXPECTED

General Conference in Session at Minneapolis Will Give Questions Prayerful Consideration and Decision.

Minneapolis.—The American people are too far advanced longer to be restricted by church rules as to what their amusements shall be. The rule prohibiting dancing, card playing, gambling and going to theaters, circuses and horse races, therefore, should be abolished.

This is the gist of a report presented to the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church by the board of bishops.

A demonstration which greeted Bishop Earl Cranston's reading of the recommendation was taken as indicating a lively debate on this question when it comes up for a vote.

A motion declaring that the rule "always had been a source of constant irritation and unrest in the church," and asking that it be referred to a committee was promptly voted down, arguments being presented that the full conference was "going to settle that question and no one else."

Arguments against continuing the anti-amusement law as presented were:

The majority of churchgoers never have refrained from dancing and theaters because of the church, and the violation of this rule has tended to bring all church discipline into contempt; that many people regard Shakespeare on the stage as being as good as Shakespeare in a book; that many people refuse to condemn all places because some of them are bad just as much as they would refuse to condemn all novels because some novels are not proper; that gambling is fundamentally wrong and does not need a rule to prohibit it.

In adopting a resolution denouncing Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson for accepting the honorary chairmanship of a brewers' congress in Chicago last October, the conference declared President Taft, Secretary Wilson and Secretary of State Knox "have forfeited all claims on the future franchise of the Christian and sober manhood of the nation," because they had ignored appeals that no government official attend the congress.

## CAN YOU GUESS?

Which is the largest room in the world? Room for improvement.

Why are the laws like the ocean? Most trouble is caused by the breakers.

When is it easy to read in the woods? When Dame Autumn turns the leaves.

Why is a little dog's tail like the best of a tree? Because it's farthest from the bark.

Lost your real estate with the Courier? If we don't sell it, it doesn't cost you anything.

## DO YOU READ?

Let us Save you Money on Your Magazines...

In taking advantage of these offers, you must take the Courier with at least one offer. For all other magazines, take one dollar off the price of each one you want. Example: *Alma's Magazine* and the *Courier*, \$2.30, and *All Story Magazine* taken with them costs only \$1 more, or a total of \$3.30.

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<i>American Sportsman</i> .....	1.76
<i>American Boy</i> .....	1.76
<i>A. Catholic Qly. Review</i> .....	4.66
<i>American Farmer</i> .....	1.30
<i>American Home Journal</i> .....	1.66
<i>Am. Grocer</i> .....	3.06
<i>Am. Horse Breeder</i> .....	2.66
<i>Am. Journal Medical Science</i> .....	6.30
<i>A. Legal News</i> .....	2.16
<i>American Motorist</i> .....	1.86
<i>Am. Motor News</i> .....	1.70
<i>A. Poultry Journal</i> .....	1.36
<i>A. Sheep Breeder</i> .....	1.86
<i>Apparel Gazette</i> .....	2.76
<i>Architecture and Building</i> .....	2.76
<i>Argosy</i> .....	2.00
<i>Arkansas Traveler</i> .....	1.40
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<i>Business Philosopher</i> .....	2.40
<i>Cassier Magazine</i> .....	3.66
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<i>Cement and Eng. News</i> .....	1.66
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<i>Chicago Farm. &amp; Drivers Jr.</i> .....	1.66
<i>Courier-Journal Weekly</i> .....	1.60
<i>Christian Advocate, St. Louis</i> .....	2.86
<i>Colliers Weekly</i> .....	6.36
<i>Columbian Rural World</i> .....	1.70
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<i>Concrete Age</i> .....	1.70
<i>Confederate Veteran</i> .....	1.86
<i>Cooking Club Mag.</i> .....	1.76
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<i>Current Literature</i> .....	2.66
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<i>Dramatic News</i> .....	4.40
<i>Dress</i> .....	2.66
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<i>Farm and Home</i> .....	1.36
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<i>Farm Journal (10 years)</i> .....	2.20
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<i>Grit</i> .....	2.66
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<i>Harper's Weekly</i> .....	4.36
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<i>Ladies Home Journal</i> .....	2.60
<i>Ladies World</i> .....	1.40
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<i>Blackwood Magazine</i> .....	3.90
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